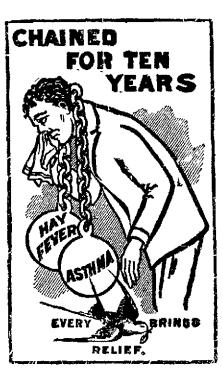
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Avon Springs, N. Y., Feb. 1, 1901.

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IS. TAFT BROS. MEDICINE CO. Gentlemen: Bwas troubled with Asthma for 22 years. Thave tried numers remedies, but they have all failed. I ran across your advertisement and rted with a trial bottle. I found relief at once. I have since purchased your l-size bottle, and I am ever grateful. I have family of four children, and for years was unable to work. I am now in the best of health and am doing buisss every day. This testimony you can make such use of as you see fit.

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TWO PERISA.

fire In New York Building Causes Papic

The Ridge, III., says: "Your trial bottle of Others Fatally Burned In Escaping From The Caldron Of Fire.

perished and several were injured to battle of Bayan, Mindanao, on May Fever, and its composition alleviates all McGrath, burned, probably fatally; nolds, John Langdon, Co. G. Twenty-troubles which combine with Asthma. Katie Wadsworth, contusion of the seventh infantry; Alfred J. Callaghan, McGrath, burned, probably fatally; nolds, John Langdon, Co. G, Twenty-Its success is astonishing and wonder- back and internal injuries, caused by Frederick Cornell and Corporal Mi jumping from fourth floor; Annie Gil- chael Golden. The officers wounded we can state that Asthmalene contains no roy, sprains and bruises, caused by were R. S. Porter, major and surgeon; Very truly yours, jumping from fourth floor. The fire Corporal J. G. Moore, Second Lieutenstarted on the first floor of the build- ant Albert L. Jonsman, First Lientening near a pile of stair pads. A boy ant Henry S. Wagner, Sergeant John was sweeping the loose cotton over Wheaton and Sergeant Eugene Mcthe floor and it is supposed that he Carthy. swept the stuff over a lighted cigar or a blaze, the stair pads were set afire upward. A panic ensued, and disregarding the fire escapes, many of the employes jumped from rear windows to the roof of an extension. It was in this way that Miss Gilroy and Miss Wadsworth were hurt. The bodies of Miss Bottcher and Lynch were found Winkle. He comes heralded here as on the top floor, death having resulted from burns and suffocation.

MAY SAVE HIS LIFE.

Capt Moore Of The Twenty-seventh Infantry Has A Chance Of Recovering From His Wounds.

Manila, May 5.—There is a chance of saving the life of Capt. Moore of Twenty-seventh infantry, who was wounded in the battle with the Moros, by trepanning a portion of his skull that presses on the brain. The body of Second Lieut, Vicars of the Twenty-first infantry has been given ere entertained of saving the lives of the other wounded American officers

MINISTER TO CUBA.

H. G. Squires, Secretary of Legation At Pekin, Selected By The Pres-

Washington, May 5 .- H. G. Squires, secretary of the United States legaion at Pekin, has been selected by the president as minister to Cuba. Gen. E. S. Bragg of Wisconsin is to be consul general at Havana.

ANOTHER REVOLUTION.

London, May 6.—In a despatch from Athens, the correspondent of the city. Daily Mail reports that a revolt occurred among the inhabitants of the island of Thasos in European Turkey, against the collector of taxes. The governor of the island, says the correspondent, ordered the gendarmes to ire on the rioters, with the result that a large number of men, women and children were killed.

New York, May 5.—Arcabishop Corrigan died at 11:05 o'clock tonight. Although he had passed a good day and was talking at twenty minutes of clock and he breathed his last five minutes later. The end was most peaceful, the last breath passing with no evidence of pain.

TELEGRAMS OF SOLICITUDE.

The Hague, May 5.—Telegrams this for information concerning the condipressing the sincerest sympathy with tionally capable one. her majesty.

RAILROAD PROPERTY BURNING.

New York, May 6 .- The Eric railroad shops on Hackensack Meadows, west of Jersey City, are burning. The exact estimate of loss cannot be ascertained at this hour, one o'clock.

BUSINESS SECTION OF A TOWN DESTROYED.

Danbury, Conn., May 5.-A disastrous fire of unknown origin tonight wiped out the entire business portion evensong will be at 7:45 on Wednesof New Milford, entailing a property day evening, and a High celebration damage of at least \$100,000. at five o'clock on Thursday morning.

BASEBALL.

The following is the result of the baseball games played yesterday: National League.

New York 1, Philadelphia 0; at New

American League.

St. Louis-Chicago, rain. Boston 5, Baltimore 2: at Boston. Philadelphia 7, Washington 5; at hiladelphia.

New England League. Manchester 2, Dover 1; at Manches-

Nashua 5, Haverhill 1; at Nashua. Concord 9, Lawrence 1; at Concord. Lowell 2, Fall River 3; at Lowell.

THE CASUALTY LIST.

Washington, May 5.—General Chaffee has cabled the war department New York, May 5.—Two persons the following list of casualties at the

RIP VAN WINKLE.

No more praise could be given to Thomas Jefferson who appears in Rip Van Winkle at Music hall this evening than has been received by large houses wherever he has appeared since his first starring tour in that charming old play entitled Rip Van an able exponent of Rip, that dear

Brooklyn 4, Boston 1; at Brooklyn. Chicago 2, St. Louis 5; at Chicago. Cincinnati 2, Pittsburg 6; at Cincin While Running Away.

Make A Dash To Escape While Soldiers Are At Dinner.

Thirty-Five Shot Down, Nine Surrender And The Rest Escape.

Manila, May 5.- Eighty-four Moro risoners under guard tried to escape day in a fire which destroyed the interior of the building at 304 Pearl street, occupied by the Eureka Redding the Street, occupied by the Eureka Redding Redding the Street occupied by the Eureka Redding Re Bedding company. The dead are ty-seventh infantry; Private James J. tion, fired upon and pursued the Emma Boltcher, 19 years of age, and John Lynch. The injured are Ethel fantry; William Lorens, Charles Reymachine the injured are Ethel fantry; William Lorens, Charles Reymachine the injured are Ethel fantry; William Lorens, Charles Reymachine the injured are Ethel fantry; William Lorens, Charles Reymachine the injured are Ethel fantry; William Lorens, Charles Reymachine the injured are Ethel fantry; William Lorens, Charles Reymachine the injured are Ethel fantry; William Lorens, Charles Reymachine the injured are Ethel fantry; William Lorens, Charles Reymachine the injured are Ethel fantry; William Lorens, Charles Reymachine the injured are Ethel fantry; William Lorens, Charles Reymachine the injured are Ethel fantry; William Lorens, Charles Reymachine the injured are Ethel fantry; William Lorens, Charles Reymachine the injured are Ethel fantry; William Lorens, Charles Reymachine the injured are Ethel fantry; William Lorens, Charles Reymachine the injured are Ethel fantry; William Lorens, Charles Reymachine the injured are Ethel fantry; William Lorens, Charles Reymachine the injured are Ethel fantry; William Lorens, Charles Reymachine the injured are Ethel fantry; William Lorens, Charles Reymachine the injured are Ethel fantry; William Lorens, Charles Reymachine the injured are Ethel fantry; William Lorens, Charles Reymachine the injured are Ethel fantry; William Lorens, Charles Reymachine the injured are Ethel fantry; William Lorens, Charles Reymachine the injured are Ethel fantry; William Lorens, Charles Reymachine the injured are Ethel fantry; William Lorens, Charles Reymachine the injured are Ethel fantry; William Lorens, Charles Reymachine the injured are Ethel fantry; William Lorens, Charles Reymachine the injured are the injured

NINE NEW CORPORATIONS.

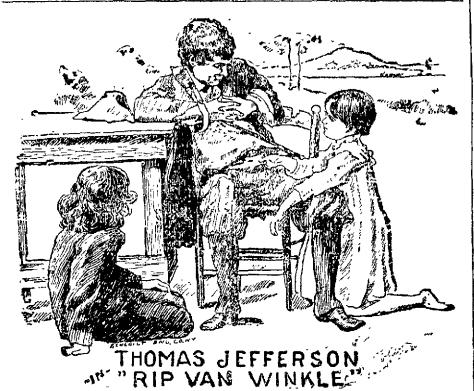
Business In This Line In Kittery Last Week Was Rushing.

The following stock companies were organized under the laws of the state of Maine in Kittery last week:

Main & Small company, capital stock \$10,000, general merchandise. Promoters, A. M. Meloon, Newcastle, N. H.; Horace Mitchell, Newell K. Howe, Kittery.

Poole Skiving company, capital stock \$10,000, automatic skiving machines, Promoterss, Isaiah F, Spindell, lynn; H. M. Meldon, New Castle, N. 1.; Horace Mitchell, Kittery.

Mansfield Furnace and Coal company, capital stock \$10,000. Promoters, vagabond whom the children love, and A. M. Meloon, New Castle, N. IL; Hor-



the elder ones remember as one of ace Mitchell, Newell K. Howe, Kitthe most beautiful poetic pastimes on tery.
the American stage. A company of able players will aid Thomas Jeffer- \$10,000. Promoters, A. M. Meloon, son during his engagement in this Newcastle, N. H.: Horace Mitchell,

BARBARA FRIETCHIE.

Barbara Frietchie is one of the most attractive creations based upon the troublous times from 1861 to 1864. Clyde Fitch has taken for its foundation, the immortal poem written by John G. Whittier, which bears the title of Barbara Frietchie and ARCHBISHOP CORRIGAN DEAD. which celebrates the magnificent gallantily of "Stonewall" Jackson, the Confederate warrior who forbade his soldiers to fire at a noble Barbara who was waving the Stars and Stripes from a window as Jackson's troops were marching by. A series eleven, his heart gave way at eleven of beautiful and thrilling scenes lead up to this thrilling incident, which is made the climax of one of the tenderest and sweetest love stories ever told on the stage. All the features of the drama are presented on a magnificent and impressive scale and the dramatic and romantic values of the piece are as strikingly emphasized as they were in the long and triumphant run evening continue to pour in begging of the play at the Criterion theatre, New York, for more than 150 nights. tion of Queen Wilhelmina and ex The company is said to be an excep-

MASSASOIT TRIBE.

There was a very large attendance at the regular meeting of Massasoit tribe of Red Men on Monday evening. The first and second degrees were conferred on several candidates and afterward supper was served. Wilbur B. Shaw did the catering.

CHRIST CHURCH.

There will be special services at Christ church on Ascension day, which will be very impressive; festal at five o'clock on Thursday morning. 6, for local news.

Newell K, Howe, Kittery. Grand Junction Smelting Co., Capi-

tal stock \$1,000,000. Promoters, Edwin Rogers, James V. Howard, Boston: Samuel R. Phillips, Cambridge; William D. Garner, Melrose; George E. Marvin, Brookline.

C. R. English Co., Capital stock \$50,000, general merchandise. Promoters, Charles R. English, West Newton; Arthur P. Putman, Boston; Horace Mitchell, Kittery.

Summer Amusement Co., Capital stock \$30,000. Promoters, Albert E. Knowlton, Malden; Mark W. Paul, Ernest C. Chaney, Charles C. Smith, American Cloth Cutting Machinery

Co. Capital stock \$100,000. Promoters, John A. McCarthy, Frank Dodge, Boston: Horace Mitchell, Kittery.
New England Pipe and Cement Co., Capital stock \$100,000. Promoters. Charles C. Smith, Joseph B. Dow, Klt-

ADMIRED OUR STATE.

The late Congressman Amos J. Commings was an ardent admirer Hampshire and it had been his practice to spend the summer season at The Weirs for several years. He was on close terms of intimacy with Congressman Sulloway and was a frequent visitor to the invalid pensions committee of which Congressman Sulloway is chairman. In adition to his prominence in congress Mr. Cummings was widely known as a journalist.

Terrible plagues, those itching pestering diseases of the skin. Put an cures. At any drug store.

Look on pages 1, 3, 4 and

PRAYED BEFORE DEADLY CHAIR.

John D. Cassels Put To An End This Morning.

SCENE A DRAMATIC

Prisoner Knelt Down And Asked Forgiveness For Those "Who Swore His Life Away."

Boston, May 6-John D. Cassels, Monday answered to the charge at 12.10 o'clock this morning, paid the lagainst them. Charles Rowe and penalty for the murder of Mrs. Mary . Lane. At 12.40 o'clock he was electrocuted at the death house of the state prison in Charlestown,

There was a most dramatic scene when Cassels was brought out by four sturdy keepers who followed the condemned man, and the Rev. John S. Barnes, the prison chaptain, who held Cassels by his right arm. He showed no particular signs of fear, but when he arrived in front of the chair be knelt down and began to pray.

Cassels was ghastly pale. He was dressed in tronsers and vest of gray and gray shirt, which was turned down at the neck. The left leg of his trousers had been cut up to the knee and the trousers rolled up, show-

ing his bare leg. The chaptain of the prison stepped pack to the west wall of the death iouse and Warden Bridges went back to the seats occupied by the legal witnesses of the execution. Cassels knelt on his bare left knee directly in front of the chair, clasping his hands above his head, and ralsing his eyes, began

Then in a voice which was thrilling, be began: "Gracious God, my Father. I beseech thee that thou will be merciful. Receive my soul and, Oh God, forgive those who swore this poor miserable life away. O God, cheer my poor old father in Scotland, and comfort my poor old lather and keep him that he may forgive me. God cheer and be mercital to Mary the woman I love, and the woman that thou made me love. Forgive those men who made me die and forgive those who see me die, because they are not to blame for it. God keep my children and forgive me who am about to die. God bless my children and keep them from harm.

At the conclusion of hls prayer, Cassels stood up and he was quickly strapped in the chair and at exactly 12.40 o'clock the current was turned on. Cassels surged against the straps which held him in the chair and after one half minute, the current was turned off and the body sank back nert and apparently lifeless.

Dr. M. A. Harris, who represented the surgeon-general, applied the stethoscope to Cassel's breast and discovered a spasmodic movement of the heart, whereupon the signal was given to the electrician in charge, who once more turned on the current and again the body surged against the straps. This time there arose from the bared leg of Cassels, to which the electrode had been applied, a mass of

steam, which some of the witnesses thought was caused by burning flesh. As a matter of fact there was no aroma and the film which seemed to rise was merely steam. Dr. Haskett Derbyof Boston and Dr.

loseph 1. McLaughlin, the prison physician, examined the body after the second application and while they and Dr. Harris, the medical examiner, decided that Cassels was dead, it was ather as a matter of precaution that the current was once more applied. Again the body surged up against the straps which bound it to the chair, and once more the steam from the

clectrode on the left leg arose. The current was kept on for the third time for about twenty seconds, then it was released and the medical men at one o'clock sharp on Wednesday present examined the body and de to attend the funeral of Nicholas cided that Cassels was dead. Then Weeks of Omaha, Neb., at his rethe warden had the mask removed from the face of the dead man and the Free Baptist church at Kittery his eyes were wide open, but indicated | Point. neither fear nor suffering

MANY PROMINENT MEN THERE.

Portsmouth Was Well Represented at the Disturbed Cocking Main on

It seems that that cocking main Knights of Pythias. held in Berwick on Sunday morning [was a well arranged affair and those churches this evening. in attendance had made every prepar- i ation for their comfort during the day, painted throughout and being put in When the officers descended upon the condition for the summer business. end to misery. Doan's Ointment place they found a temporary har The machinery is also being put in room in full blast and an appetizing drst class shape. dinner was being cooked on oil stoves.

hands of the police.

John Rines of Dover and Joseph Sullivan of Portsmouth were found guilty and fined \$1 and costs each.

County Attorney Mathews said that if the others do not immediately appear in court, the matter will be placed before the grand jury at Alfred this week and some more serious charges will be made.

It is said that among the men arrested Sunday were several prominent in business circles in this section. They gave fictitious names, but their true names are known to the officers and arrests probably will be made. Four teams and thirty-eight live birds which were at the farm when the raid was made have not been called for by their owners.

UNHAPPY MADE HAPPY.

List of Divorces Granted at Present Term of Superior Court,

At the April term of superior court he following divorces were granted by Judge Pike: Frederick P. Ham from Mary L.

Ham, Hampton: abandonment. David B. Seriggins from Lucy E. Scriggins, Derry; abandonment. Ednal, Forbes from William O. Forbes, Portsmouth; adultery.

John L. Pender from Addie Pender, Portsmouth: abandonment. Harriet M. Knight from George E.

Ina A. Sives from John Sives, Derry, abandonment. Albert F. Haselton from Carrie E.

Haselton, Derry, abandonment. Helen II. Mathes from Fred Mathes, Newmarket; abandonment. Mary J. Rogers from Moses W. Rogers, Kingston; habitual drunkenness.

ter, Portsmouth; abandonment.
Francis C. Shaw from Frances E. Shaw, Greenland; adultery. Further divorce libels will be heard at the adjourned term, which con-

Sadie M. Foster from Harry K. Fos-

venes on May 26. TOMMY IN TROUBLE,

He Had A Watch Which The Police Don't Think Belonged To Him.

One of the famous Sullivan boys is in trouble again- and likewise in the police station. It is Tommy, the

six-year old, this time. On Monday evening, Tommy was going about town with a big silver watch, which he was trying to sell or give away-he didn't seem particular

Officer Hilton's attention was attracted to him and soon Tommy was in durance vile, without the watch, That Capt. Marden carefully deposited in the cabinet of souvenirs, to await

the call of the owner. Tommy teld Officer Hilton that he saw a "bloke" asleep on a door step and pulled the watch out of the man's pocket and skipped.

KITTERY.

Naval lodge of Masons of Kittery are requested to meet at their hall quest. The funeral will be held in

add Kittery. The stone cutters who have been obliged to discontinue work at the navy yard owing to the strike of workmen there are securing s'tuations out of town and are leaving by the bunch. There appears to be plenty

of work at other places. There will be the regular meeting this evening of Constitution Lodge, Regular prayer meetings at the

The ferryboat Kittery is being

Conductor Paul is now doing duty All this together with the ring on the steamer Alice Howard as pur-parapharnalia and birds fell into the ser, and Capt. Tilton is in the pilot house, owing to the illness of Capt. Only three men were in court on Henry, Marden.

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The Delightfully Informal Munner In Which an Error In a Right of Way Payment to a Red Skinned

the Overland express he is impressed the Indians treat everybody connected

"The Indian is no fool," said a Great Northern official with whom I discussed the subject. "He knows when he anything uhreasonable. This railroad has never knowingly done an Indian a wrong. We paid liberally for the right to cross the reservation, and any differences that arise are treated with consideration. We never try to impose upon the Indians in any way, nor do we permit them to impose upon us. When trains first began to run through the reservation, a number of ponies were killed by accident. We promptly paid for them, and the owners were satisfied. A few cunning Sloux thought ther saw in the situation an opportunity to make money and drove their ponles on the track to be killed and paid for. We discovered the trick and ap- happened to remember some things pealed to the chief, who promptly suppressed the iniquity. This is the near-freturned to put them back. When I

who wanted to trade 100 ponies for a from a tray on the counter. This is it locomotive. He did not appreciate the on my chain now. utility of the track and thought he and patience to get the idea out of the on the shoulder. chief's head, but he finally relented. It was, however, a great disappointment.

that we have had."

ment for the right of way through the curate in letter, but is true in spirit. The through express from St. Paul to when a strange incident happened out

A solitary Indian, feathered in stateposition beside the track and gave the engineer a friendly signal to stop. Off went the steam, and a gentle touch of the airbrake brought the long train to a standstill.

The red man explained that he represented his tribe in a matter of right of way. There had been a mistake, and the railroad ought to pay some more money. In this formal and diplomatic manner, the Indian explained, the matter was presented for adjustment in full confidence that the great white just to his Indian friends.

For the engineer this was a poser, He had no idea that he was a diplomat. but he was, all the same. He called the conductor, and all three discussed the case. The white men knew nothin; of the merits of the matter. The Indian talked like one who understood his business and was telling the truth.

The amount involved was only a few dollars, and the conductor looked: as wise as possible. He was a man of common sense sharpened by frontier life. With due deliberation he wrote out a receipt, which the Indian embassador signed and the engineer witnessed. The money was paid out of the cash collections, and the conference was at an end.

The red man mounted his horse and applied his spurs. The engineer stepped into the cab and pulled a lever.

For an instant a party of eastern capitalists occupying an observation car were face to face with the Indian hotseman. The white men received a lasting impression of majestic dignity and grace. The red man was dazzled by a vision of luxury of which he had never dreamed.

The extremes of civilization and savagery bad met and parted in friendship. The Indian, according to tribal custom, reported the success of his mission with solemn formality and suppressed joy.

The train conductor, according to the regulations of the modern corporation, made a notation to the auditor on a blank form provided for the purpose, explaining why be was short in his cash and asking that his report be held in abeyance until he could secure the approval of his irregular act

by a higher official. The approval came, with a statement that the Indian was right. There had been a mistake in the right of way settlement. It was also stated that the president of the railroad had intimated that while rules are sacred things there are times when common sense may serve a good purpose,-Atchison Globe.

Illiterate, but Quick Witted.

Reuben Fields is certainly a unique character. The editor first knew him | Murray Garde the other night. "What In Johnson county, Mo., about 30 years ago. He was then just about grown and possessed wonderful gifts in matters of mathematics, and it was said you could never put a question to him for which he would not have an answer at his tongue's end. On one occasion two traveling men were discussing his case, and one bet the other he could not spring a question on Rube which would puzzle him for an answer. The first time he met, Rube he said in an abrupt manner, "Rube, if an Indian should come along and cut off the top of your head and take your brains away, what would you do?"

Quick as a flash Rube replied, "Go round without any, like you do."

It is needless to say he paid the het, with probably the cost of a western irrigation for the crowd. Fields is a native of Bath county. He would nevmr go to school and is wholly liliterate, sight it is, I tell you!"-Philadelphia ~Flem ngsburg (Ky.) Times-Democrat.

A TROPHY OF BURGLARY. Prummer Carries a Gold Watch as a

Souvenir of His Deed. "This watch was part of the spoils a burglary in which I participated in 1881," said a guest in the St. Charles obby to a reporter, drawing out a andsome gold timepiece with a curlous spiral pattern eugraved in heavy ellef on the lid. "It was my first af-As the traveler passes through the fair of the kind, and I regret to say I big Sioux reservation in Montana on bungled it and got caught almost immediately. What is the joke, did you with the uniform respect with which ask? There is no joke; it is perfectly

true. It happened like this: "In the fall of 1881, when I was quite young and green, I got a job traveling for a Chicago grocery house, and one of the first places I visited was a is well treated and seldom expects small town in northern Ohio. I arrived about 11 at night and went out to take a stroll and smoke a cigar before going to bed. Passing through a side street, I noticed a light in the little jewelry store and also that the door was ajar. That reminded me I had ecently broken the mainspring of my watch, and I sauntered in to leave it

for repair. "As I entered a young man arose from the further end of the counter. He seemed startled, which was not unnatural at such a late call, but he regained his composure while I explained the purpose of my visit and told me he had closed some hours before, but that had been left out of the safe and est approach to a misunderstanding handed him my watch, I asked him to lend me another to wear in the mean-A good story is told of a big chief time, and he gave me one at random

"Next morning," continued the story could dash over the prairies at will teller, "I was lounging in the hotel ofwith the iron horse. It took some time fice, when the town marshal tapped me

"'Let me see your watch,' he said. "I pulled it out mechanically and was Another story is connected with pay- at once placed under arrest on the charge of robbing the jewelry store. It reservation. It may not be quite ac- seemed that it had been burglarized during the night, and somebody in the hotel had noticed my peculiar looking Helena had not been running long watch and reported it to the police. It was promptly identified as part of the stolen goods, and, needless to say, my story as to its acquisition was laughed ly fashion and mounted on a horse of to scorn. I was obliged to admit that it rare beauty, occupied a conspicuous seemed a little gauzy myself, and I can't say I blame the authorities for declining to give it credence.

"At any rate, I found myself in the deuce of a fix. My old watch had been carried off by the thief, and there was absolutely nothing to confirm my statement except the bare fact that none of the other goods was found in my possession. That, however, went for very little, for it was argued that I had had abundant time to conceal my plunder. In my agitation and excitement I must have presented a perfect picture of chief who built the railroad would be guilt, and the townspeople came near mobbling me on the way to jail. They kept me there for exactly three hours, the agony of which will dwell with me

> if I live to be a hundred. "Meanwhile the sure enough burglar had been bagged in an adjoining town with all the loot, including my timepiece, in his valise, and when I was finally released he was bundled into my cell. If he hadn't been caught, I don't know what might have happened. I don't like to think about it. The authorities made groveling apologies, and the leweler was especially abject. To placate me **he** offered to let me keep, the new watch in exchange for my old one, and I accepted the proposition. I carty it as a sort of tragic-comic souvenir."—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

> > It Was Dewey's Trent.

"In 1886," said Colonel Frank Small, advance agent for a theatrical company, "I was in Washington with Rose Coghlan, playing at what was then Allgugh's Opera House. One afternoon I was in the box office chinning with the ticket manipulator and watching the matince girls when three ladies came in, followed by 100 children, boys

and girls. "One of the ladies stepped up to the window and said, 'We have just an even 100 children here and here is a check for \$25 to pay for the tickets for them.' She handed in a check signed by George Dewcy, and the tickets were passed out to the lady. The happy youngsters were soon enjoying the

"I didn't know George Dewey from Adam's off ox, and I asked the ticket man who he was. He fold me that Mr. Dewey was a navy other and that it was not the first time he had handled his checks in that way; that once each season anyway the children from some of the several orphan asylums were given such treats by the gentleman, but that he seldom attended a performance himself." - St. Louis

Globe-Democrat.

Animals That Coast. "In India, where I was a cornet of her majesty's hussars, I gave a good deal of attention to elephants." said particularly interested me was the bold, original method an elephant has of getting down a hill when the gradient is too steep for walking. He sits calmly down on his hinderlands, you know, pushes off, and, bzz, bzz! he's at the bottom. It hurts, though-the friction, the inequalities of the descent, the tenderness of the hide, don't you

"But I only speak of this because the bears of your country remind me of it. The bears of Utah and Wyoming are the eleverest wild animals I have ever seen. They, too, slide down the preclpices and the mountains, but they are more tender of themselves than the elephants. They cut bank from a tree with their teeth and claws in strips big enough to be sat upon comfortably, and on these toboggans they coast down the steeps of their wild country without any exil effects. A strange

A WHISTLING WHALE

THE HEAD OF A HARPOON MADE THE SPOUTER A FREAK.

A Badly Scared Bont's Crew and an Exciting Battle With the Monster, Who Crushed a Small Boat Between His Ponderous Jaws.

"The only time I ever was really sitions that must be always just right frightened was when I was fast to a before any sensible girl will think of whistling whale on the Japan grounds marriage." in 1842." Old Captain Rogers of New London was talking. "It was my sec- maiden. "He must know how to proond voyage whaling, and I had shipped pose. Do you know, I believe if I were as boat steerer on the Nautilus. We had been out from home some 18 propose properly I should reject him." months and had met with fairly good luck, when one morning 'There she blows!' came down from one of the tision, "any way is the right way." lookouts aloft. It was just after six bells, and the second mate's watch was below. The mate, whose boat I steered, was in charge of the deck.

"'Where away?' he shouted. "'About three miles off the weather

"The whale, after it had sounded, broke water half a mile nearer the must conform to his actions. If he ship, spouted once and turned flukes. "That whale acts to me as if he was lawn, he may be in negligee attire, outgallied,' said the old man as he came ing costume or something like that, down on deck. 'He's got separated and he may then be more impassioned

"'Shall we lower?' asked the mate. "'Yes, but spread your chances and costume who proposed in the house." work cautious, for you'll find him shy.'

from a school.'

"All three bonts were lowered, and for some 20 minutes we pulled hard, taking courses a little different. Then all three crews stopped and waited for scene must make a perfect picture. It the whale to come up again. The would just kill the romance if it didn't three boats were then about half a and 1 couldn't possibly accept him. mile apart, ours a little the farthest And his words and tone! Both must from the ship.

"Suddenly the whale broke water a with all the surroundings." short distance from the second mate's bout and began to spout. And he spouted with a most unearthly whistle. I tell you, it scared us. The men sat motionless in their seats until the whale went circling about. It didn't seem to know we were near till be suddenly started for the second mate's boat open mouthed.

"As be came on with a rush the crew brightly and all the world joyous as to a man leaped overboard. He took he poured well rounded sentences the empty boat in his jaws and crush throbbing with love into my ear. Or ed it like an eggshell. Then, catching else I saw him sinking on one knee in sight of our boat, he came at us, but front of the divan upon which I was our crew had partly recovered their sitting and looking me straight in the wits and sprang to the oars with a wlll.

"To escape by speed was no go, but be mine! Say that this is not to be a just as the whale overtook us the mate gave the boat a sudden sheer to port by a quick stroke of the steering oar. shine ever brightly as we go through and the monster shot by, just grazing life hand in hand!" the starboard oars.

"As he passed I let drive one from at maiden. "That's just the way I've him, and it planted firmly, but before 1 pictured it. And when your Prince could grasp the second he turned flukes and went down like lightning. The sting of the harpoon had taken all the fight out of him.

"I tell you he went down deep, and, his speed was surprising. We had to hair was stringy, and there was mudpour water on the chocks to keep them on his trousers, and we were altogether from blazing. One drag after another two of the most unprepossessing lookwas bent on to stop him. But, no. Only ing mortals you ever saw. When he a single flake of line was left in the tulwhen the strain ended and the line be gan to slacken.

"'He's rism!' exclaimed the mate, time." 'Haul in slack, and when he breaks water I'll let daylight through him!"

"When about half of the line was in, the whale came about a dozen boat lengths ahead. And he was spouting again with the same uncarthly whis tling. It put terror into all but the mate, who was torward with his lance, bent on 'greasing it.' I had taken his place at the steering oar.

"We started to pull up to the whale, but away he went, towing the boat after him so fast that the water rose like walls on both sides.

"For half an hour more he kept this up, then suddenly stopped and lay at most still on the water. Slowly and cautiously we pulled up to him. When we came within striking distance, the mate thrust at his vitals with the lance, and pretty soon he rolled over dead.

"On cutting into that whale the next day we found the cause of the whistling. It was the head of a harpoon imbedded transversely across one of the animal's spout holes in such a manner that the escaping air produced a shrill sound. The iron bore the initials of the ship James Loper of Nantucket and we afterward learned that she had struck and lost a large sperm whale by the breaking of a harpoon some 18 months previous.

"Two New Bedford ships and a bark from New London, which reached home before us, reported having severally chased but failed to get fast to a lone whale, which whistled like a steam engine when it spouted.

"His roaming about alone is account ed for by presuming that his whistling frightened and scattered every school that he approached. He was a noble fellow and stowed down 97 barrels of sperm oil."

"But what became of the second mate's crew, who were left struggling in the water when their bout was demolished?" I asked.

"Oh, the other hoat picked them up and took them back to the ship," replied the old captain as he lighted his pipe and settled back for a smoke .-Youth's Companion.

What Poverty Did. In a poem on "Poverty," an Arkansas

Poverty's coming; you cannot shirk; Ever around 'tis lurking; Poverty put my pen to work, And poverty keeps me working Verily, poverty is to blame for a

great many things in this vale of sun-

shine!- Atlanta Constitution.

Automobile Talk. "He has a great faculty for putting the cart before the horse."

"Oh, I wouldn't say that. Say he has a habit of trying to make the wheels run the motor." - Automobile Magazine. THE WAY TO PROPOSE.

What the Maiden and the Matron Had to Say About It. "I never could accept a proposal from

man unless the conditions were just right," said the romantic maiden thoughtfully. "Of course not," replied the matter

of fact matron. "He must be the right

man in the first place, and be must pro-

pose in the second. Those are the con-

"Oh, I don't mean that," returned the

really in love with a man and be didn't

"When it comes to proposals of mar-

"Oh, no, it isn't," asserted the maid-

riage," replied the matron, with de-

en. "The surroundings must be appro-

priate. Everything must be in har-

mony. If my Prince Charming proposes

to me in the bouse, he must be in a

dress suit, and he must be earnest but

dignified. There must be a certain ease

and elegance of manner, and his words

proposes to me in the woods or on the

and vehement in his declarations. But

I never could accept a man in negligee

"Don't you be too sure about it." re-

"Oh, but I am," said the maiden. "I

breathe love and yet be in conformity

"I've known lots of girls who thought

that," said the matron reflectively.

"And it didn't bappen that way?"

"I had the same idea," she said at

last. "I pictured some quiet nook, the

birds twittering, the sun shining

eyes with a long, lingering look of

love, while he said: 'Oh, adorable one,

world of Stygian darkness for me, but

that the sunlight of true love shall

Charming did come what did he say?"

"He was taking me home under an

umbrella in a rainstorm," she explain-

ed. "I was wet, and he was wet. My

was about to leave me at the door, he

"'Oh, to put it in plain words,' he

"How dreadful!" exclaimed the

"Oh, I couldn't accept a man under

"If he was the right man, you would,

"Oh, I couldn't do it possibly," pro-

tested the maiden. "I'd feel that I'd

lost half my life. Why, in a case like

that he couldn't even fold you in his

arms and all that when you said d"-

matron, "Not so fast. You'll know a

lot more about men than you do now

when you accept one, no matter bow,

when or where it may be. There are

some features of the occasion they nev-

er overlook, but don't you build your

hopes too high on everything else be-

Sea Gulls as Weather Prophets.

The ex-sea captain looked over the

rail of the Hoboken ferryboat toward

the east. The rising sun, which had

"Dirty weather coming." said the

ex-captain. "The sun never looks that

way unless there's rain in the air. Then

look at those sengulls too. You never

see them in a harbor or on shore unless

there is trouble brewing out to sea.

Way back in the sixties I was on a sail-

ing ship coming up from southern ports.

When we were abreast of Hatterss, the

reached New York all icel up.'

morcial Advertiser.

In the evening of the day on which

borough, looked like a huge red ball

ing in harmony."-New York Sun.

"Wait a minute." interrupted the

said, 'let's get married. How about

The matron sighed again.

" 'What?

It ?"

malden.

time!"

"Wasn't it?"

"Yes, indeed."

"Most prosaic."

nevertheles: "

hose circumstances."

"And such prosale words!"

"Oh, beautiful! Lovely!" cried the

turned the matron.

"N-o: bardly."

"But in your case?"

The matron sighed.

that way I'll be sure to draw a big crowd, and when I get a whole grist of femininity within hearing distance I'm going to preach at them for all I'm worth. My text will be 'The Thread Tooth.' Why you women will persist in doing such senseless things when you know the result is going to be more or less barmful is something I can't for the life of me understand, but it is a fact that nine out of ten of you who use the needle, be it much or little. will go on biting as if nothing better than teeth had ever been invented for the purpose of severing thread. I veri-

The Thread Tooth.

ture and advertise it to be delivered be-

"Some day I'm going to get up a lec-

"'But I don't bite hard,' my callers always protest when I expostulate with them. Great Scott, what an argument! Just as if a person had to bite clear through a milistone to break | primitive telescope. the enamel on a tooth. A thread is a fine, delicate thing, to be sure, but so are some saws and files, and all are any substance if applied persistently. When I get my lecture ready, I'm going to say all this and a good deal the advice that I'm giving now to ev-'Don't bite your thread. Cut it or break it or do any other old thing with it, but don't, if you value your incisors have figured it all out very carefully. The and your cuspids and your bicuspids, saw it off with your teeth."-New York Sun.

one last mer Shoc.

While in Samoa Robert Louis Stevendress of the native Kanaka.

were unknown to her and a curling iron a dim recollection of a shady past. It was while Stevenson and his wife were living at Apia, in Samoa, that Mr. Heywood was appointed consul there for this country. Shortly after his arrival in the coun-

ry he arranged for a reception to the English, German and American resimeet him in his official capacity and he them as "citizens of Samoa." Of course an invitation was sent Rob-

ert Louis Stevenson and his wife. Two days before the date of the function Mr. Heywood was surprised to receive a note from Mr. Stevenson sent by courier. The note read as follows:

Mrs. Robert Louis Stevenson and Robert Louis Stevenson accept Consul Heywood's in vitation with pleasure and assure him that they will be present on the evening of the 23d, if by that time Mrs. Stevenson finds her other shoe. Ever thine,
ROBERT LOUIS STEVENSON.

-Detroit Free Press.

E. W. GROVE.

This name must appear on every suddenly exclaimed, 'Say, I'd like to box of the genuine Laxative Bromo carry that umbrella over you all the Quinine Tablets, the remedy that cures a cold in one day. 25 cents.

Still Kicking.

There is a Woodward avenue business man who always takes his lunch at a little place on Bush street, kept by a German. "He gives me just what "Such an inappropriate place and I want," says the merchant, "and he is always entertaining.

"He kept me a little longer than usual the other day, when I suddenly remembered an engagement, looked at his clock, looked at my watch and then looked at him.

"'What time have you, anyhow?' 1 luquired.

"'Dot? Dot is gompromise dime,

sir.' " 'W-h-a-t?'

"'Gompromise dime. All dose men dey comes in here und dey say ve mus' haf sum dime or ve' mus' haf stan'art dime, und dey yaw und gall names, und somedimes you dink it vould be a fight. So I say by mineseluf I mus' not dake sides, for dey all de dime say to me how it is, und I all de dime say I know nottings. So I puts in der gompromise dime und none of 'em can glck.1

"But what is it?"

"'It vos dis vay.' I poot dot glock hack fourdeen minutes behint stan'art dime, und I poot him fourdeen minutes ahead off sun dime. Dot is that you just cleared the house tops of Manhattan gall it-neudral dime or gompromise dime. But what makes me misunderstooden myseluf is dot dey gick like der mischief youst der same."-Detroit used by the Malaccans, and when we Free Press.

Peacock Superstitions.

According to Mohammedan tradition the peacock opened the wicket of paradise to admit the prince of darkness and received a share of his punweather was very warm, and the crew | ishment. The feathers, gorgeous in were set to work washing ship. The their hellish dye, reflect the glamour of men were barefooted, and their trousers the evil eye.

were rolled up to their knees. Soon we though the superstition is sometimes trucks. In half an hour there must have been 200 of them. The barometer did said to have its origin in the fable of not indicate any change, and we cer-Argus, whom June set to watch lo. one of her husband's mistresses. Argus tainly thought the birds had been fooled was beguiled by Mercury and lulled that time. But about an bour before to sleep by his playing, thus allowing supset the barometer began to fall as if Io to escape. Juno, to punish Argus, the bottom had dropped out of the glass. placed his many eyes in the tail of ber By midnight we were in the teeth of as peacock, who thenceforward proudly wild a blizzard as I ever struck. We displayed them. Thus 'a peacock's feathers became the symbol of watchful and vindictive jealousy. There was 3,000 feet deep. the ex-captain had prophesied bad an old superstition that peacocks rule i weather it rained ... New York Comfied their feathers at the sight of poison.

ANCIENT INVENTIONS.

fore women only," said a dentist, "In THEY GO TO PROVE THERE IS NOTH-ING NEW UNDER THE BUN.

> With All Our Modern Progress We Euclid or to Devise a More Scientific Game Than Chess.

Something very similar to the telephone was used in China 1,000 years ago. Natural gas conveyed in bamboo tubes was utilized in China ages ago, and one of their writers mentions boxes which repeated the sounds of people's voices that were dead, a maly believe that if a woman had a dozen | chine similar to Edison's phonograph.

pairs of shears within reach she would Ancient Egypt boasted "a nickel in bite her thread instead of ellpping it, the slot" machine, while Layard found which really doesn't take a second lon- in ruins of Nineveh what Sir David Brewster pronounced to be "a magnifying glass," and nearly 4,000 years ago the Egyptians and Assyrians observed the stars through a sort of

Thimbles have been found in prchis toric mounds with every evidence of having been made by machinery simsure to cut their way through almost liar to our own. Hatpins with glass heads and safety pins with a little coiled spring at one end and a catch at the other were in use in Pompeii more, and I'm going to wind up with 2,000 years ago. Combs and hairpins have been in existence for 20 centuries. ery woman who bandles a needle: and housewives 5,000 years ago patched their husband's garments with needles and thread.

Very fine razors are made at the present day, but are of no finer steel than that contained in the Damascus swords and knives which the ancients used several thousand years ago.

The people of Tyre were such ex son and his wife in a great measure did | perts in dyeing that Tyrian purple reas the Romans did-that is to say, as mains unexcelled to this day. The the Samoans did. It was Louis' custom | Egyptians were also wonderful dyers to lie abed late of a morning and spend and could produce colors so durable the remainder of the time under a tree | that they may be called imperishable. on the hill, clad in light pyjamas, the | They were also wonderful glass workers and could make glass malleable in With his wife it was the same. Stays | a way which is unknown to us. They could make glass garments dyed in every shade of color and etched with rare skill.

Electricity derives its name from the Greek word for amber, electron, because Thales, about 600 B. C., discov ered that amber, when rubbed, attracts light and dry bodies, and in the twelfth century the scientific priests of Etruna dents of the community that they might drew lightning from the clouds with from rods. All mechanical powers, the screw, lever, pulley, inclined plane. wedge, wheel and axle were known to the ancients and used in everyday life They were expert builders. Twenty centuries before the birth of

Watt Nero of Alexandria described machines whose motive power was steam He also invented a double force pump. used as a fire engine, and anticipated the modern turbine wheel by a ma chine he called "neolpile."

While the learned of Europe were forbidding, as a heresy, the doctrine of the globular figure of the earth, the callph Al Mainton was measuring the length of a degree along the shores of the Red sea. He and his successors repeatedly determined the obliquity of the eliptic. A Saracen constructed the first table of sines, another explained the nature of twilight and showed the importance of allowing for atmos pheric refraction in astronomical observations.

In the schools of the present day Euclid's elements of geometry, written over 2,000 years ago, is used as a text book. Euclid also wrote on music and | er | practice." -- New Orleans Timesoptics autedating much we think we have discovered. Both algebra and chemistry were invented and brought into Europe by the Mohammedans, and chemistry and algebra are Arabic words.

Locks like those in use today, which could only be opened by the knowledge of a certain combination of numbers. were known to the Chinese centuries ago, while Hobbs gave his name to a lock found in an Egyptian tomb.

vented in the orient. The finest linen in the world has come out of East Indian looms. The coffee we so much desire for breakfast was first grown by the Arabians, and the natives of upper India prepared the sugar with which to sweeten it, while every schoolboy in the land can tell the meaning of the Sanskrit words "sacchara canda." The virtues of tea were first pointed

out by the industrious Chinese, who also showed us how to make the cup and saucer in which to serve it. Breakfast trays were first lacquered in Japan. Leavened bread was first made of the waters of the Ganges river. Eggs as an article of diet were first speak of Shanghai chickens we but mention ap Asiatic name. Persia first for them is indestructibility.—New grew the cherry, the peach and the York Sun. plum. Alcohol was first distilled by the Arabians, and when we talk about coffee and alcohol we are using Arabic words.

We gratify our taste in the way of personal adornment in the way taught us by orientals-viz, with pearls, ru-Hence the origin of the superstition | bies, sapphires, diamonds. The most eaw several gulls flying about our that peacocks' feathers are unlucky. magnificent fireworks are still to be seen in India and China, and Europe has invented nothing which can rival the game of chess. We have no hydraulic constructions as great as the Chinese canai, no fortifications as extensive as the Chinese wall; we have no artesian wells that can approach in depth some of theirs, nor have we ever tried to obtain coal gas from the interior of the earth, while they have borings for that purpose more than

> Oriental physicians practiced vaccination over 1,000 years ago. Anaesthetics were known in the days of Homer, and the Chinese 2,000 years ago had a preparation of hemp known as "una yo" to deaden pain, something similar to our modern cocaine.-Los Angeles Times.

CORK LEGS ARE MYTHS.

Information From an Expert In the Artificial Limb Business.

"The term 'cork leg' is a misnomer," said a man who used to be in the artificial limb business. "There never was any such a thing, and a leg actually Have Not Been Able to Improve on | made of cork would be as unwieldy as a sawlog. The up to date artificial limb is a very thin shell of weeping willow, covered with rawhide, and some of them that come clear up to the hip have been built as light as three pounds.

"It is a singular fact that a first class leg, which is supposed to have a life of about five years, will be more than paid for in the saving of shoes. Of course, the false foot wears a shoe, just the same as the real one, but for some reason that has never been fully explained it isn't as hard on leather. A flesh and blood leg will wear out four shoes while its mechanical mate Is wearing out one, due perhaps to the footgear never being removed at night and the lack of elasticity in the tread. The best customer of the makers is the government, which pays for a new artificial limb once every five years for pensioners maimed in war. The price fixed by law is \$75, but scores of old soldiers simply draw the money and make the same leg do for as long as 15 years at a stretch. Artificial arms are made very successfully nowadays, and a certain amount of action is secured in the hand, even when the stump reaches only a few inches from the shoulder. With one of the styles, for example, a man can lift his hat and replace it on his head with a surprisingly natural movement. The mechanism by which the false hand is made to open and close is controlled by a strap, which reaches to the opposite shoulder. A slight shrug does the work, and a little practice renders it imperceptible. "There has been a wonderful im-

provement in limbmaking during the last ten years, and a properly constructed artificial leg cannot be detected by the casual observer. The chief difficulty with the old style was its tendency to swing outward in an are of a circle at every step. That has been entirely overcome. Some years ago, when I was in business at Chicago, I fitted out a man who had lost both legs and both arms in a Dakota blizzard. When I first saw him, he was simply a helpless trunk, lying on a cot in the hospital, and his deplorable condition had reduced him to a state of despair bordering on insanity. I took a great deal of interest in the case, and I flatter myself that I did a fairly good job. When I got through with him, he was able to get up without assistance, walk about, feed himself and do a hundred and one little things that changed life from a mere blank to something really endurable. When he found himself emancipated from total helplessness, he improved mentally, and now, I dare say, he wants to live as long as anybody.

"One of the greatest obstacles to successful limb fitting is the carelessness of surgeons in performing amputations. An operation may be entirely successful from a surgical standpoint, yet leave a stump upon which a false leg can never be worn with comfort. I know of a number of cases in which a reamputation has been submitted to for the express purpose of correcting such difficulties. Every medical college course ought to include at least one lecture with practical demonstrations by a thoroughly scientific maker of artificial limbs. It would be of inestimable value to the students in aft-Democrat.

Dolls' Heads.

Years ago doll heads were made of wood, carved out by hand, and great numbers of dolls were sold that were entirely of wood, with jointed arms and legs. Some dolls of this sort, looking quaint enough now, though they were once so common, are still sold. but the great bulk of the dolls now made have bodies of cloth or leather, Our clocks and sun dials were in- | with heads of china, bisque or papier mache. There are also dolls' heads of metal, these heads being made of brass in two parts, stamped out with dies and joined together.

In the process by which these heads are made, many dies are used in the production of a single head, the metal being worked to its final shape gradually. The first die makes but a barely perceptible impression upon the piece of sheet metal from which the head is to be formed. The next shapes it a little more, and so on by pressure from successive dies, each a little more sharply defined, the head is brought finally to its perfect form. These beads are made in various sizes and in various styles as to details of finish. They cost about the same as the best bisque heads, but one of the merits claimed

Freesing Furs—and Moths.

Once upon a time a woman who had cedar chests in which to store her winter belongings was considered a fortunate being indeed and looked upon with envy by her sister housewives. Now cedar chests, camphor and moth balls are all scorned as old fashioned and inadequate by the patrons of cold storage warehouses, where furs are taken care of and costly draperies. rugs, etc., are sent for protection from the moths.

The expert furriers say that heat and not moths is the chief danger that threatens furs. A month's wear in warm weather is harder on fine furs than years of use with the thermometer at freezing point. Heat takes the life out of fur and pales the color, leaving it limp, dull and faded. In the modern storage house the furs are kept in rooms where the air is dry as a bone and the temperature many degrees below freezing point. Any daring moth that found its way into this room would be at once frozen stiff.-New York Commercial Advertiser.

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THE WAY WE PROSPER.

And here is a tribute to the conquering power of American machinery: The latest British advocate for the use of machinery on the American plan is one of the strongest labor mem-bers of the British Parliament, W. Abrahams, who was lately on a visit to the United States. In addressing his constituents in Rhonda Valley recently he said that at one time he thought that working with machin-ery could not be to the advantage of the men he represented. He returned from America throughly cured of the prejudice which he, with others of his class, had entertained, and he would in future advocate, wherever possible and necessary, the use of machinery to produce things accessary to maintain Great Britain in competition with other countries. Having explained how 1,200 tons of steel rails were produced every twenty-four hours in Illinois by machinery without the aid of manual labor, except in directing it, he said that in the past, whenever an excuse was wanted in his country for not adopting the American plan, the prejudice of workmen against machinery was trotted out. The capitalists of America would not put up with the second best of anything and whenever a new plant was invented they calculated the purchase cost to them and threw away machinery

that would be used in England for ten or fifteen years longer. He declared it was the duty of capitalists in his country to find first of all the plant, and then the workers could be taught to regulate machinery instead of acting like machines themselves.

as they had done too long. And so it goes, with America increasing its lead every hour.

The Choctaw, Oklahoma & Gulf Raiload Company has decided to run an extension from Weatherford, Okla., to faloga, the county seat of Dewey county, and north from there to Woodward, a distance of 100 miles. No other railroad traverses this country, which is very rich in cattle and agriculture.

A census bulletin just issued on the silk industry in the United States xhibits proof of remarkable growth. For many years France had almost a monopoly of the manufacture of fine ilks. The annual value of France's silk production is estimated at \$122 000,000. In 1889 the United States produced silk to the value of \$107 so rapid is the growth of the domestic

There was an increase of 59 per of products was 22 per cent., and in cost of materials used 22 per cent The value of the gross products of this industry in Pensylvania aggregated \$31,072, 926 in 1900. It is stated J. H. Gardiner in the report that the growth of this industry in the United States under industry in the United States under the protective tariff has seriously at rected the industry in Germany and some other countries.

At the same time, silk is cheaper today than ever before. No longer is its use confined to the rich. The poorest use it increasingly and the \$21,000,000 n wages which this industry disburses annually in this country constitutes a welcome addition to the income of thousands of wage-earning families.

A Pittsburg inventor has perfected cotton picking machine on which he has been experimenting for ten years, that will greatly reduce the cost of raising cotton but will only be applicable to level lands of the prairie

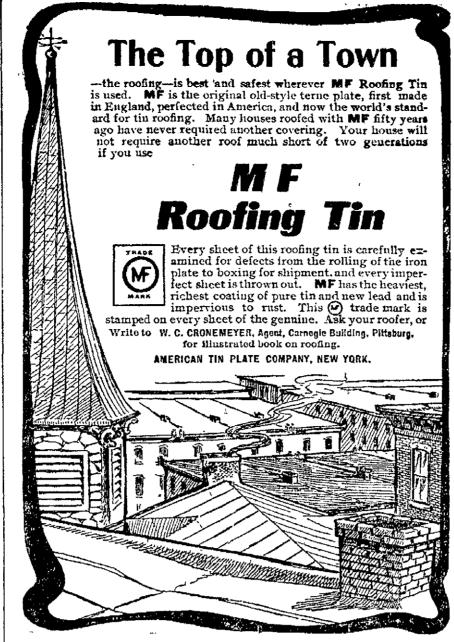
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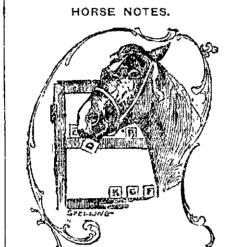
But let us not give up one icta of our home market or the foundation of our progress and prosperity will crumble away. This home market or the results of labor is incalculable. 't is easily \$30,000,000,000 annually. A continuance of patronage is solicited from and it practically all goes to labor former estuomers and the public in general, in one form or another. In agriculture, and every endeavor will be made to fill all orders promptly and in a satisfactory manner. portation, in trade, in clerical work, in proffesional work, in communication n comfort, convenience and luxuryat every turn we find work for the heads of 30,000,000 salary or wage earners whose spendable income is fully \$30,000,000,000 a year. This is the result of the American system of protection, the like of which is known nowhere else under the sun the horses that are in training for the Let us branch out as we will, let us gain all the new markets that come our way, but never, in any essential at the expense of any part of our own home trade and industry." —American Economist.

> "When we think of the flag furling advocated retention of territory acquired in the interests of humanity and consecrated with American blood we are consoled with the assurance that the republican party holds the winning side on all the great questions that will be before the country this year."-Moravian Falls, N. C., Yellow Jacket.

> The, almost inexhaustible natural resources of our country, aided and developed by republic policies, enable the consus bureau to tell us that we have 500,000 factories, mills and workshops, with \$10,000,000,000 (ten thous and millions) capital, 5,500,000 wage carners, carning \$2,500,000,000 (two thousand five hundred millions) year ly wages.

The United States, our doubly uni-Horse Shoeing in all its branches, ted states, bounded on the north by torrid zone, on the east by the China sea, and on the west by the setting sun. Long may we prosper.-Schenectady, N. Y., May I.





Dan Mahaney will take Idolita and Eleata to the Dover track within a

Little Gyp, the wonder which was iell, was bred across the river in the town of Kittery.

hotel at Granite State park, Dover.

An own sister to Eleata, 2.05%, will land, O., that is entered in \$60,000 worth of stakes.

Daniel Mahaney of the Maplewood ging them around the quarter mile track at the farm every day getting them down fine for the summer work Tom Marsh has eighteen of the Lawson horses in training at Dover. The man who made Maplewood fart farious thinks he has the greatest lot of troffers in his charge that can be

found in the country. Poindexter, 2.111/2, is the first hors: ever offered for sale by Thomas W Lawson. If the horse should take a mark of 2.00 he wouldn't be retained at Dreamwold as he doesn't "nick"

with their proposed line of breeding. raster miles than any other trainer in the country. The horses he has his year are Mamie B., by Gambetta Wilkes; May Patchen, by Patchen Wilkes, out of a sister to Rubenstein. 2.05; Joe Scott, 2.1914, by Charles Derby: and Onward Patchen by Patchen hat. Wilkes, dam by Chward,

son that has been kept at Granite State park, Dover, for the past year. was removed last week to his new farm, Dreamwold, at Scituate, Mass. There were sixty brood mares and stallions and thirteen foals, that were season's campaign, more room and other trainers will commence to move their horses to this popular training ground. The racing division at the St. Louis Globe-Democrat. Lawson stable will remain at the track under the care of Thomas Marsh, and he claims to have the best material for racing that he has ever had.



Richard Mansfield made the announcement last week in Pittrburg that he will devote himself entirely to the plays of Shakespeare next sea. rup helps men and women to a happy, son. He will present Julius Caesar, vigorous old age. Othello, The Merchant of Venice, Richard Third and Henry the Puth, His season will open early in Octo-

William Bonelli will have two News on every page of the Herald. American gentlemen companies on

the road next season. He will also make an elaborate scenic production of his new play early in the fall. The new play will introduce an effect never before seen on any stage, it is

Sir Henry Irving revived Faust at

the London Lyceum April 26. Cecilia Loftus was the Marguerite. Grace Cameron, late of the Foxy Quiller company, has been engaged to sing a principal role in the con-

ing production of The Chinese Honey-It is reported that Charles Frohman has purchased the dramatic lights in Hobart Chatfield Chatfield-Taylor's

novel, The Crimson Wing. Peter F. Dailey and Della Fox are to star next season in a new English musical comedy, entitled in Fairyland.

Ellen Terry has aunounced her in-

while in America. William Mooney, of the Robert B. John Mulligan is the landlord at the Mantell company, who fulfilled the 'managerial duties during the Manager M. W. Hanley's recent illness, has be sold at auction next week at Cleve-been presented by Mr. Hanley, in appreciation of his services, with a gold

Violet V. Holmes, a young San Farm stables has his horses out jog- Francisco actress, who played the ingenue in Hanlon's Superba, has been engaged for the title-role in the same play for next season.

> An Absentminded Man. A local rallroad official is an extreme-

ly absentminded man. He frequently forgets to go to lunch, and it is usually necessary to remind him that it is time for dinner. His wife, knowing his little peculiarities, is his other self and looks carefully after his affairs at home. She sees to it that he does "Happy "Jack Tront, who handled not go down town with one yellow and Anaconda, 2.01%, last year, is at the one black shoe and keeps his cuffs Dover track with four horses from carefully separated. The strange thing Canada. At this time last year "Hap-py Jack" was riding as fast, if not circumstances forgets a lustness arcircumstances forgets a business affair of any sort or confuses identities or anything of that kind in connection with the railroad, but he will return his sister-in-law's bow with a distant stare or an absentminded touch of the

One day last summer he ran up to The breeding division of the trot- the lakes to spend a few hours with ing bred stock of Thomas W. Law- his wife and family. She had arranged for a game of golf, of which he is passionately fond, and he spent the afternoon playing foursome, winning with his partner against his wife and another man! That night he got on the lropped at the park since March, and train at the little station, his wife and another was toaled on the car en route. The children having gone down with A special train of seven baggage cars | him. He hade them a fond farewell and a passenger coach was necessary and then, after he had settled his efto transport the outfit. This will give | feets in the sleeper, wrote a telegram, which he addressed to his wife at St. Louis, to this effect: "Will be home 8:30 Friday. Won golf game today."-

Lever and the Archbishon. Charles Lever, the novelist, was once the guest of Dr. Whately, the archbishop of Dublin, at his country seat. Among the other guests were some of the expectant clergy, who paid sub-missive court to their host. While the archbishop and his guests were walking through the grounds the prelate placked from a bush a leaf which, he declared. had a most nauseous flavor.

"Taste it," said he, handing the leaf to one of the clergy. The latter smilingly obeyed, and then with a wry face subscribed to the botanical orthodoxy of the archbishop. "Taste it, you. Lever." said the grat-

ified prelate, handing the leaf to the novelist. "No, thank you," said Lever, laugh

ing. "My brother is not in your grace's diocese.

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OLD TIME DINNERS.

The Way the Well to Do In the South Lived Before the War.

An old fashioned gentleman growing eloquent on the subject of southern hospitality and the viands that were set before friends and neighbors when invited to a feast, a reporter said:

"Will you state your recollections of what was served on such occasions if I write it down for you?"

"Of course I will," was the reply. "I can see such a table in my mind's eye right now. First, there was soup, of course. If it was cold weather, we had oyster soup, or perhaps fish. If it was in the midst of the vegetable season, we had rich, high colored beef soup, with plenty of tomatoes, okra, grated corn and such like, well proportioned and well seasoned with pepper and a little opion.

"When the soup plates were taken off, and after the tureen was set aside, then a fine home raised bam took its place in front of the hostess. I can discern the delicious flavor right now in my recollection. Sometimes the skin was peeled off and the outside plentifully sprinkled or dusted with black pepper, and that delicious meat was good as long as a piece was left on the bone. For my part, I liked it best with the skin left on, because the meat was cured so perfectly that even the skin was toothsome and preserved the juices until the meat was consumed. "At the other end of the table, in

front of the host, you would see a fine roast turkey-if the season was winter or early spring-garnished with parsley and slices of cold boiled eggs. The dressing was rich, made of bread crumbs if you had them, otherwise a pan was filled with thick, rich batter, plenty of eggs, plenty of butter, daintily seasoned, and cooked until the stuffing was of the right consistency, and then the fowl was packed full, and little cakes of the dressing, baked along in the pan, to garnish the sides of the great turkey dish. If the time was midsummer, the turkey was replaced by huge dishes full of fried chicken and baked chicken, sometimes with the fowl 'smothered.' The chicken menu was varied if the time was ripe for kid meat or fat mutton, as it happened. Late in the fall a shoulder of fat pig or a whole young pig was seen, roasted to

"All along down the table you would tind bowls of apple sauce, green or dried; stewed peaches, sweet and choice; rice, every grain standing alone; pickles of all kinds, potatoes. butter, honey, light bread, nice beaten biscuit and such desserts. Mince ples, apple and peach ples, the crusts crisp tention of presenting, in London, and flaky; apple dumplings, rich with 'harles Hemy Meltzer's play, The sugar, spice and butter; cakes that First Duchess of Marlborough, the were cakes sure enough, sponge felly recently purchased by Warren F. Dan- English rights of which she secured and pound cake that took an hour to make and three to cook, fruit cake that was better six months after it was made than at first, jellies, preserves, boiled custards and syllabub that it makes my mouth now water to recall them in such bountiful profusion. Graclous plenty was in the kitchen as well as the house, and no chef in a millionaire's kitchen is as much gratified as the old time cook, whose head kerehief or turban was as white as her fresh apron was spotless whenever her mistress called her name and introduced her to the ladies who lingered at the table after the men folks had gone to the plazza or the parlor fire for an after dinner smoke."-Atlanta Journal.

The Wicked Magpie.

As to that famous thief in featherthe magpie who stole the spoon while the girl was flirting and got the daughter of Eve into a deal of trouble-it is altogether unlikely that the bird cared one grab whether the spoon was silver or electroplate. He knew that it would have a very fine appearance among the ragged sticks of his domed nest, and so, as no one was looking, he drew it out from among the others just as gently as if he were playing spelicans, gave three hops and a flap of his wings and the spoon and the girl's reputation for honesty went away over the fields together.

Other damning instances there are of jackdaw and magpie, the red legged chough, and even, sad to say, the clerical gaited raven, being decoved from the straight path of rectitude by the empty glitter of a gem. Unlike Æsop's moralizing cock, who, having scratched up a necklace, apostrophized heaven of the uselessness of such a stroke of luck to him, these sable, solemn fowl seem to have a burglarious twist in their nature over which they have no control. In proportion to their reverend aspect and grave demeanor in their serious suits of black is their eagerness to purloin at all costs any bit of tawdry metal ware to give a dash of meretricious Snery to their bare nests -- Longman's Magazine.

YYY Convenient. An energatic vicar of an English

country par sh, who had long labored to raise the bands necessary to add a set of chimes to his parish church, was one day both su prised and gratified by an elderly lady who, though reputed to be very well off, had bitherto declined to contribute, offering to complete his subecription list provided the new chimes would be sounded at a specific bour each evening This was agreed to, and they were soon in active operation.

Meeting her out one day, he repeated his acknowledgments, saying: "I am so glad to have been able to meet your views. It must please you very much to hear those grand old hymn tunes at night." "Ob, yes." was the reply, "and it is

really so very convenient! That stopid maid of mine brings me my medicine now quite regularly." -- London Tit*****00000006 *}08080@008080# 00000006 ****

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TUESDAY, MAY 6, 1902.

With all her plagues, Egypt was not made to suffer from the pest of the street loafer, and life in the land of the Pharaohs, therefore, was not altogether miserable. This species of humanity is worse than the seventeenyear locust, or the seven-year hives, that the Dolphin can come up stream for he is always with us. These warm and anchor off the city.-Lawrence spring days bring him out in swarms. He posts himself on the sunny corners of much-traveled streets and waits for amusement. For hours at a time does he stand there. Unattended young women, gentlemen in silk hats, men with babies in their arms, old ladies and happy Sunday-school children he regards as his lawful prey. The habitual street-loafer is a coward, of course, but in a crowd of cigarettevoiced fellow loungers he waxes bold with the courage of the jackal in packs. Often it is not so much what he says or does, that annoys, as the obnoxious manner in which he leers at attractive maidens without escort and impudently stares at respectable persons going on about their business. Do the watchful patrolmen send him on, with the admonishment to "keep moving?" He serenely waits until the bluecoat is further along the beat and then saunters back to his loafing place, or selects another point of vantage. He is an unmitigated nuisance and the season is now at hand when he is in his full glory.

SNAP-SHOTS.

Now will the Moros be good?

A monopoly of a necessary of life should be classed as a crime.

It remains to be seen whether or not that proposed some trust will float

If Attorney General Knox kills the beef trust, we'll all help stamp down

the grave.

Boston is emulating Chicago-an electric car has been held up in one of her suburbs.

What fun a fellow could have out in Los Angeles by letting a mouse loose in that convention of Women's

It sometimes happens that a man is quite as glad to get out of a cabinet office as he was delighted to get into

The anti-imperialists are sorry because our soldiers were successful in their gallant attack on the Bayan fort, instead of being defeated with a terri-

As those greedy beet barons mournfully survey the surplus of "critters" which they can't get rid of, they must conclude that they have committed a serious "ball."

Great Britain continues to lag behind in the great tace for industrial supremacy-while the long legs of your Uncle Samuel increase their stride at every lap.

It is noticeable that Aguinaldo isn't doing any "kicking" while Edward Atkinson and his clique are tearing their bair and putting on sackeloth and ashes out of sympathy for the ' poor Filipino."

The fierceness and persistency which mark the attacks of the Man chester News on Chief Healy lead to the inference that the News police reporter must have been "scooped" sometime or other.

Former Queen Lil, dusky as Lew Dockstader with his makeup on, has been invited to attend the Charleston exposition as the guest of the manage ment—and yet those Southerners wax real indignant if they find themselves in the same county with Booker T. Washington.

BURNHAM AS A REPORTER.

Senator Burnham of New Hamp shire, who succeeded Senator Chandthe sugar trust holdings in Cuba. At the hearing Saturday, when Broadway, New York.

Henry O. Havemeyer, of the American Sugar Refining company, was on the stand Senator Burnham sat at the table and made notes. He asked no questions. Toward the end of the hearing he took a pad and began to write. When the hearing adjourned he was still writing. Havemeyer had watched the senator narrowly and walked around the table to where he was writing.

"Here, you," said he, shaking the senator roughly by the shoulders, "what are you doing? Writing this up for the sensational press, I suppose?"

stammered and sputtered, but could enough room—what will you do with say nothing. "And I want to tell you," said Have-meyer, walking away, "that you'd bet-

ter let me see what you write before you send it.' Before the senator regained his voice the sugar magnate was out in the corridor. Up to a late hour Satur-

day night he had not submitted what he was writing to Havemeyer.-Washington Correspondence of the Boston

CLIPPINGS.

Well, if she sticks to that determination she will be cool at all events .--Newburyport News.

Gen. Chaffee has full power to go ahead and carry on a paper-ball war, but there must be no slapping on the wrists or anything resembling a oughhouse.-Washington Post.

One young lady finds the wash silk shirtwaists so soft and comfortable, and so easy to launder, that she declares she will wear nothing else during the summer.-Hartford Courant. Haverhill will be more than ever a seaport, now that she has the honor of having a secretary of the navy. Let the Merrimae he at once dredged so

The price of anthracite coal is now moving up ten cents a ton a mouth, but of course there is no trust and the advance is simply due to the workings of the law of supply and demand. When Attorney-General Knox gets through with the beef trust why

not let him try his hand on the coal

barons?--Haverhill Gazette. A news item in one of the Portsmouth papers is quite interesting. It tells how a "barkeeper" jumped over the bar and administered a thrashing to some unruly person in the store. Wonder what the barkeeper was there for at all? Portsmouth is remembered by many as a city that only a few months ago closed up the bar rooms tight and averred that there would be no more of the stuff sold there. Is it possible that the spasm of virtue has been obscured over there again?-Newburyport News.

SENATOR HANNA'S WISH.

"Benator Hanna does not claim to be a scholar," remarks one of his colleagues, "but frequently he surprises als triends by quick and keen quotation from philosophers and historians. "I was enjoying function with him

recently, and was struck with the charm and range of his conversation In a moment of confidence, and with perhaps a mischlevous purpose of decoying him into an expression of possiole further political ambitions he might ntertain, 1 said: "Senator, you have great wealth

andmany honors, and I know that you ere a man of abundant happiness; but ometning in addition to all your pre 'nt achievement?'

"While I had been speaking Senator Hanna had been looking along the taale at several dishes which he hadnot asted, for, although he is blessed with rare constitution, he does not eat to

"'Yes I have a wish,' he replied, 'and it is very similar to one expressed by in ancient Roman. My wish is that might eat what I please and compelsome democrat to digest it.'

MODERN RAILROADING.

The New Jersey Central and Reading Railroads have gained a name as leaders in railroading through the placing in effect of an hourlyservice between the cities of New York and Philadelphia. These new fast trains leave on the even hour from 7,00 a. m. to 6.00 p. m. inclusive, and better equiped trains were never operated. The standard of excellence was long unce established by these roads and ill others follow. All trains run dieet to Reading Terminal, Philadeldua, and no change of cars will be recessary. The Reading Route is a most nicturesone one, and the roadged is such that tast time can be made setween the two cities without fail A number of the trains will make the rip in two hours, and this Philadelobla service will be in addition to the itoyal Blue service operated between New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore and coaches are up to-date, having been nult especially for this service, and the Pullman Parlor Cars are from the latest models.

WHAT TO DO WITH THEM.

Let's mash the potato trust?-Brockton Times. Why not hash the beef trust :- Nashua Telegraph. And get the hens to lay out the egg trust, and chop the mutton trust; and starve the breakfast food trust. Now

s the time, while alewives are running and Dan. D. Lion is in our midst. --Lynn Item. And chew up the pulp and paper rust, steal the steel trust, boil down the sugar trust, touch off the Stand-

ard oil trust, and heave the shipping combine overboard.--Lewiston Sun.

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over the proper site for the Fitz John | Porter statue. Numerous sites have been advanced as proper for the location of this gift and in each and every instance, you Senator Burnham sat up in his will hear some objection raised, such chair, dumb with astonishment. He as: the will forbids—there is not

> Perhaps those who object in the strongest terms over a certain site have some selfish motive, some axe same are the public at large. But how to feel the public pulse is

he question. most in the matter do not stand on the

street corners and give voice to their preferences, neither do they waylay a eporter and try to get into print an anonymous communication. It is for this class of people that the Herald proposes the following popu-

TEA TABLE TALK.

"Robbie" Hoyt (as he used to be called familiarly by his chums at the High school, but who has now reached the dignity of assistant surgeon in the United States navy,) arrived home on Monday to pass several weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Coburn Hoyt, of Northwest Street. Dr. Hoyt is the youngest surgeon in the navy. being only twenty-two years of age. He graduated from Portsmouth High in '97 and from Harvard Medical college in 1901, I his old city is full of high with dressed beef for which his friends, who are greatly pleased there is no market, while not half of at his success in passing the examination and his subsequent appointment.

Some of those charming Cap of Fortune girls got giddy on the Maine it has that power it will not worry to grind, but the statue must have a circuit, after the show appeared in site and the proper one to select the this city, and raised a considerable hubbub in the hotels where they registered. The squad of college youths who have been tagging after these Those whose opinions count for the brilliant stage butterflies ever, since the company took to the road insisted on keeping them up after the evening performances and treating them to midnight suppers, and naturally the is evidently rounding itno shape, and hilarity that resulted disturbed the the prospects for the balance of the equilibrium of the other guests, who senson are excellent. had paid for a room with the intention of sleeping in it. We ought to be

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Herald, all you have to do is to call at the office and obtain a ballot. It is: not necessary for you to buy a copy in order to vote as The Herald will endeavor to obtain a fair expression of the minds of the people. On May 15, a committee of citizens

THE BOTANISTS' SEASON.

will count the ballots and the result

will be announced in the paper.

"Now is the time for one of the most ascinating studies in nature," said a gardner, the other day. "It is interesting both to those who know only a little botany and those who know much. The study, I mean, is that of the buds of the trees as they prepare to unfold in the spring. Take your buds under observation just before they to you not at times cherish a wish for actually open, when they are being exited by the warmth of the season Most large scaly buds will reveal their complete history for the season in adcance. You will find in them, in miniature, leaves and stems and in some cases flowers also. Then the leaf coverings are interesting in themselves different fashions in tree dress. The horse chestnut has a coating of sticky glue, which, like grease on shoe leather keeps out the elements. Other buds have velvety coverings like cloaks to will cover flowers only. You may insunny window. The Corpenian or are willing subjects for this. Then there are the fuzzy tassels of the elm and the larch which again are different from all the others andeven more interesting. You must catch them in time though, or on the morning on which you go for them you will find the tree already in leaf and the ground beneath it covered with a thick carpet of the graceful pendants which lately adorned the tree. But there are scores of trees and something interesting about all of them in the budding stage."

TAKEN TO HOSPITAL.

William H. Mellady, about thirty-five years old, who says Boston is where he belongs, applied at the police station early on Monday evening and Washington. The new locomotives for lodging. He was so ill that he could scarcely drag hmimself in. He had a very bad cough which, he said. had been troubling him for some time. City Physician Hannaford was summoned and promptly diagnosed the case as incipient pneumonia. Upon his advice, Mellady was taken to the Cottage hospital.

FLORIDA AND CUBA.

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ADDER TO BE TESTED.

probable that she is going to Wash-

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ics, decide the important question by however, as most of them are recent graduates from metropolitan dramatic From now until May 15th a ballot schools and this is their first trip

The "Brattle organ" (the oldest in

America) which has been in use in

the chapel of St. John's Episcopal church of this city since 1836, when it was acquired from the parish of St. Paul, Newburyport, Mass., for \$450, is just at present under repair at the tactory of the Hutchings Votey Organ company in New York. This instrument was imported from England by Hon. Thomas Brattle, who was treasurer of Harvard college from 1693 to 1713. He was was an amateur musician and had none of the prejudice prevailing among the religious people of those times against musical instruments, especially against their use in public worship. In Mr. Brattle's will (probated May 23, 1713,) he bequeathed this organ "given and devoted to the praise and glory of God n the said church (Brattle street) if they shall accept thereof, and within a year after my decease procure a sober person that can play skillfully thereon with a loud noise, otherwise the Church of England (Stone Chapter, now King's chapel) in this town on the same on the light decease procure a struct, at ten o'clock in the Io that notice thereof be published in mouth flerald, a newspaper printed trict, and that all known credities are constant and the rank gonera at the improper to use the organ, so it was not be granted. accepted by King's parish and a "soher person" was procured from London at a salary of thirty pounds, to play it. In 1756, the organ was sold to St. Paul's parish in Newburyport.

I hear it whispered in quiet corners keep them warm and dry. Some buds that one of our local sporting men was in the crowd so rudely surprised troduce spring into our house ahead of by officers while watching game time by cutting off branches of these cocks fly at one another down in Berand putting them in water in a warm wick on Sunday. He was lucky enough to escape the round-up, but double cherry and the yellow Forsythia was torced to take his departure without the Rochester stable team in which he had been brought to the scene. And they do say that he sprinten for a whole mile before he dared slow down to take breath.

> The Portsmouth, Kittery and York street railway management will have to bring out a number of extra cars during the visit of the vested Episcopal choir boys to this city the last week of this month, for I understand that the program of entertainment which has been arranged by the Christ church choristers (who are the hosts) includes a trip to York Beach for the visitors. This cannot fail to be one of the most pleasant features of their sojourn.

I wish to shake hands, metaphorically speaking, with "South End." whoever he or she may be. By all means, let Daniel French be the sculptor of the Porter statue. It is emi nently fitting that the work should be given to him, not only because he is a New Hampshire man, but because, as "South End" truly says, the statue would then be certain to be the ornament to our city which its donors intended. I wish that the Chronicle would inaugurate a voting contest for the choice of a sculptor. My vote would be given to Daniel French, and I know of a number of others which operated by the Plant system and would be placed to the credit of this connections, is unexcelled. Literature distinguished son of the Granite

The anties of a very nimble birddog in front of Preston's pharmacy on Monday afternoon led many people to think that he was "loony" and they accordingly gave him a wide berth New York, May 5 .-- The submarine in passing. Overhead, hirds were flitcont Adder, one of six vessels of that ling back and forth among the nests lass, passed City Island this evening, which they build on the broad coping bound south in tow. It is thought under the caves every spring, and the sun, ever and anon, cast their shadington to undergo the lests which lows on the sidewalk. The way that ongton to undergo the lests which lows on the sinewalk. The way that the property of the lests which dog chased those shadows up and down was amusing He might have run himself to death had not the sun gone behind a cloud once in a while. Then the would stop and catch his breath—a species of the lests of the lests of the lest of were to have been made with the Ful- dog chased those shadows up and

very mystified look on his face, while

he seriously studied the pavement as

if trying to discover where the birds

had gone down through. When the

shadows reappeared, he was up and

The fact that there is really a gov-

ernment by public opinion was never

present agitation against the "beef

trust." Aiready the sales of meat have

fallen off so largely that the cold

storage plants in this city are piled

tue 18,000 cattle delivered at Chicago

yesterday were sold. The public has

proved in both those cases its power

to punish such an arbitrary effort to

"squeeze" consumers, and so long as

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In the matter of Charles N. Currier, Fin Pankruptey.

Bankrupt.

To the Honorable Edgur Aldrich, Judge of the District Court of the United States for the District of New Hampshire -

Charles N. Currier, of Portsmouth, in the County of Rockingham and State of New Hampshire by or recempent and State of New Hampshire, is said District, respectfully represents that of the 29th day of October, A. D., 1901, last, he was duly adjudged bankruot under the rects of Congress relating to bankruptcy; that he has duly surrendered all his property, and rights of property and has fully compiled with all the requirements of said acts and of the orders of the court touching his bankruptcy. Wherefore he prays that he may be decreed

by the court to have a full discharge from all debts provable against his estate under and hinkrupt acts, except such debts as are excepted by law from such discharge.

Dated this 8th day of April, A. D., 1102. CHARLES N. CURRIER, Bankrupt.

Order of Notice Thereon.

District of New Hampshire, ss. On this 30th day of April, A. D. 1902, on on the same terms and conditions." persons in interest may appear at the said time and place, and show cause, if any they have, improved to use the organ so it was

And it is further ordered by the court, that the cierk shall send by mail to all known crediturs notices of said petition and this creer, adof to them at their places of residence as

Witness the Honor-ble Engar Albrich, judge of the said court, and the seal thereof, at Cor-cord, in said District, on the 30th day of Apri, A. D., 1903. Bunis P. Hodiman, Clerk | Seal of the | court. |

A true copy of petition and order thereon. Attest. Burns P. Hongman, Clark.

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or Portland-9:55, 10:45, a. m., 2:45, 5:22, 8:50, 9:20, p. m. Sunday, 8:30, 10:45, a. m., 8:55, p. m.

or Wells Beach-9:55, a. m., 2:45, ·5:22, p. m. Sunday, 8:30, a. m. or Old Orchard and Portland-9:55, a. m., 2:45, 5:22, p. m. Sunday, 8:30, a. m.

or North Conway-9:55, a. m., 2:45,

or Somersworth—4:50, 9:45, 9:55, a. m., 2:40, 2:45, 5:22, 5:30 p. m. or Rochester-9:45, 9:55, a. m., 2:40, 2:45, 5:22, 5:30, p. m. or Dover-4:50, 9:45, a. m., 12:15. 2:40, 5:22, 8:52, p. m. Sunday,

8:30, 10:48, a. m., 8:57, p. m. or North Hampton and Hampton-7:20. 8:15, 10:53, a. m., 5:00, p. m. Sunday, 8:00, a. m., 5:00, p. m.

Trains for Portsmouth eave Boston-7:30, 9:00, 10:10, a. m., 12:30, 3:30, 4:45, 7:00, 7:45. p. m. Sunday, 4:30, 8:20, 9:00, a. m., 6:40, 7:00, p. m.

.eavs Portland-2:00, 9:00, a. m., 12:45, 6:00, p m. Sunday, 2:00, a m., 12:45, p. m.

.eave North Conway - 7:25, a. m. 4:15, p. m.

.eave Rochester - 7:19, 9:47, a. m., 3:50, 6:25, p. m. Sunday, 7:00, a

.eave Somersworth-6:35,7:32, 10:00, a. m., 4:05, 6:39, p. m.

eave Dover-6:50, 10:24, a. m., 1:40 4:30, 6:30, 9:20, p. m. Sunday 7:30, a. m., 9:25, p. m.

.eave Hampton-9:22, 11:50, a. m., 2:13, 4:59, £:16, p. m. Sunday, 6:26, 10:06, a. m., 8:09, p. m. .eave North Hampton-9:28, 11:55, a

m., 2:19, 5:05, 6:21, p. m. Sunday 6:30, 10:12, a. m., 8:15, p. m. .eave Greenland-9:35, a. m., 12:01

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Epping-9:22, a. m., 1:21, 6:14, p. m. Raymond-9:32, a. m., 1:32, 6:25, p.m

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Concord-7:45, 10:25, a. m., 3:30, p. m Manchester - 8:32, 11:10, £. m., 4:20,

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METHODS HE USES TO PUT THE PO-LICE ON THE WRONG SCENT.

Two Cases Where Coolness and Presence of Mind Were More Effective Thun Fleetness of Foot In Evading the Officers of the Law.

"The crooks of Chicago don't believe escape when caught at work," said a Chicago detective who was in Washington last week, "and I'm rather inclined to believe that they've got the sensible end of it. A man who starts to run away from one or more policemen, no matter whether he is swifter of foot than a deer, is bound to be collared nine times out of ten, whether he makes his dash at midday or in the middle of the night. He has to take the big chance of being headed off by other cops, and he has to take chances on the blind alleys that be's liable to run into. The crook, enught red handed, who keeps longest out of the clutches of the police, is the man who uses his head and who doesn't run. To

"A few months ago a well known Chicago housebreaker, who has put in numerous hefty stretches at Joliet, decided to crack a crib on Prairie avenue, one of the swagger bouses of the town. He found that the whole family occupying the house were going to the theater on a certain night, and he figured on all of the servants remaining below stairs after the family's departure. He made a second story job of it, climbing up a porch, and he got in without a bit of trouble. It was really something easy, and the fellow simply got pockets full of jewelry. The thing was passing off beautifully when a maidservant walked in on him while he was ransacking the dressers in one of the ladies' boudoirs. She let out a scream and went a-kiting down the steps to where the measeryants were. The crook sloped for the front door on the second floor and slipped down the same porch stanchion that he had used in climbing up. He was pretty quick, and he was a couple of doors away, on the sidewalk, before a lot of servants burst out of the house and began to yell for the police.

Now, if that crook had started to run there is no manner of doubt that he would have been headed off, and he would have stood more than an even chance of being shot into the bargainif not by a cop, then by some citizen or other, for since the reign of footpad terror in Chicago a few years ago a majority of the citizens who stay out late o' nights pack guns around with them. Well, this thief didn't do any running stunt at all. There was an undertaker's wagon standing in front of a house about five doors away from the one he had robbed. No one was in the wagon. The crook saw his chance, He stepped aboard the wagon in a leisurely manner, gave a cluck to the horse and started to drive off at a lazy trot just as a couple of officers charged around the corner. He pulled the wagon up to talk to the cops.

"'I guess somebody's been killed down in that house, the way they're yellin,' he said to the cops.

"'Have you seen any one ru

here? the policeman asked him. "'Well, just as I hopped aboard the wagon there was a duck chased out of that house and screwed down the other way,' replied the thief, and the policemen took up their lope and started for the robbed house. The thief drove down Prairie avenue with all the leisure in life. He abandoned the wagon after going a mile, and took a down town car. I natled him a couple of months later when he was drunk, on

suspicion of having a hand in a certain job, and he was boastful enough to own up to it and to tell me how he'd got away on the occasion I've told you "Still more recently there was an-

other well known Chicago second story man caught in the act of going through a house on one of the prominent boulevards. The butler came in on him, and he punched the butler a swift one and backheeled him. Then he walked swiftly out of the house and down the steps, a number of the other servants meantime appearing at the basement door and howling. Down in the next block a big gang of all night men were engaged in putting in new sewer pipes. The crook didn't take up any sprint, but he just made for the scene of the sewer pipe operations at a good walking clip. He was got up pretty roughly, and he jumped into the first ditch he came to, after having caught up a pick that was lying on the brink, and started in to work.

"There was a Swede in the pit there with him, but the Swede had the proper Scandinavian stolidity, and he didn't pay any attention to his new digging companion. The crook plied his pick there for an hour, while cops plowed around all over the street looking for the robber. When the excitement had all died down, he dropped his pick and stole silently away. There was rum in this one's head, too, when one of my sleuth pais got him, and he told chestily of the neat way he had given the cops the slip. So many of the Chicago crooks are adopting similar tactics nowadays that it is rare for a Chicago policeman to get a run for his money. in the half literal sense."-Washington

A Pig For an Emblem.

The emblem of the county of Sussex, England, is a pig-a pig with amazing ears and long legs. The peasants have a way of making little pigs out of clay and selling them for 2 shillings to the Ir, and great was the mother's ourever straying tourists. I have one before me now, standing on his tail, apparently trying to swallow half a box of matches. Across his forehead is you, Alf?" written the Sussex motto, "He won't Cure a cold in less than a day. For be druy?' So, you may have inferred, LaGrippe, Coughe, Colde, Acute Ca. in pig in the county is not looked upon tarrh. Fever, Neura'gia, Bronchiti , as a particularly desirable citizen.

DIVING FOR FIREWOOD.

Sandwich Islanders' Way of Filling the Wood Box.

Boys whose most distasteful task is to keep the wood box filled, or who are expected to split the kindling wood every night, would undoubtedly enjoy living at Hawaii. Firewood there is not only very scarce, but they get, it, out of the water, another feature of tho matter which would probably appeal in the running game in attempting to | to such of the boys as delight in "goin swimmin." II. W. Henshaw, writing in The Youth's Companion, says of this

Upon the shores of Hawaii firewood is a scarce and precious commodity. The present forests do not grow near the sea, and the labor of bringing wood from the distant timber is great, espel cially as roads are few. Practically all the firewood of the natives, and much that is used by the Europeans in the towns, is drift that is brought down periodically from the uplands by freshets that follow heavy rains.

There is nothing strange in all this but what is strange is the way the natives gather the wood. Pick it up on the beach? Not at all; at least, very little is obtained in that commonplace

Much of the island timber is extreme ly heavy, and instead of floating in orthodox fashion, as wood should do, it promptly sinks to the bottom. As the freshet gathers headway, down come the heavy tree trunks and branches. dashing fiercely against the rough lava sides of the stream and bumping against the bottom till all semblance of their original shape is lost and they are bruised into shapeless blocks or

split into kindling. The current carries them well into the ocean, where they settle into the sand. The first stage of their journey is over, now for the second. In a day or two the ocean rises in its might and sends in huge breakers upon the shores, which catch the logs and splinters and roll them over and over, still on the bottom, toward the beach.

Here is the native's chance. He has been waiting long for just such an opportunity. Down to the shore come the Kanakas in troops. No one is left behind save the sick and the blind. Men, women and children are all on the beach, having an eye both to business and to pleasure.

The women are clad in old, loose holakus, a garment I may best describe by likening it to the original "Mother Hubbard." The men doff their garments and don the economical malo, or waist cloth. The children follow suit. so far as doffing goes, and don-well, to tell the truth, most of them donnothing, and if they are satisfied, you and I need not complain. And now for

The men dash into the breakers, divon the crests of the smaller ones till find a piece of wood-it may be only a in; but, large or small, no matter. Down dives the Kanaka head foremost! to selze the prize.

little distance to catch the smaller tidal wave. pieces that get past the men, and soon the piles on the shore grow from nothing to cords.

A hardy native will stay in the wahimself with the inevitable pipe or feet from the rail. eigarette.

Hard work is this wood gathering by diving, what between the buffetings of the waves, the cold and the labor of tugging the logs ashore. But for all that shouts and laughter fill the air, and one might suppose the occasion was a summer pienic.

Whatever his faults, the Kanaka has not added to the gloom and discontent of the world. He endures disappointment and misfortune with equanimity, and when the clouds pass and the sun shines he is ready to laugh and be glad.

Animals and Birds That Fight. You would hardly believe that moles. clumsy and almost blind, become per-

feet demons when they quarrel. No one knows what they quarrel about, but if they once start fighting, one has to die. They will keep on in the presence of any number of spectators, hanging on to one another like bulldogs, and burying their enormously strong jaws and teeth in one anoth-

er's flesb. Hedgehogs, another type of the quiet. inoffensive looking animal, not only fight, but always to the death, and when one is killed the other generally devours him.

Hares, on the other hand, are proverbially the most timid of creatures; yet they can fight. A fight between two hares is a ludicrous sight, as they skip and jump over one another. But a blow from the hind legs of a bare is no joke to his opponent.

Among birds, robins are the most nugnacious. More than one case could be quoted of two robins so frantically set on killing one another as to have allowed themselves to be picked up in the hands of a looker on and there have laid with beak and claws deeply buried in one another's plumage.

Enjoying the Ride.

A schoolboy who was going to a payty was cautioned by his mother not to walk home if it rained, and she gave him money for a cab. It rained heaviprise when her son arrived at home drenched to the skin.

"Did you not take a cab as I ordered

"Oh, yes, but when I ride with you. you always make me ride inside! This time I rode on the box, and it was so jolly!"-London Telegraph.

PELTING THE EARTH

A CONSTANT SHOWER OF METEORS INTO OUR ATMOSPHERE.

Some of the Larger Ones Which Reached the Earth Unconsumed, Fragment of a Comet's Tall-The Intense Cold of Space Felt by Man.

The atmosphere forms an armor which is almost impenetrable to the meteors that are constantly pelting the earth. About 2,000 of these wanderers in space hit our atmosphere every 24 hours. Most of the meteors are small. They come rushing through space, strike the atmosphere, and the friction against the molecules of air heats them to a white heat and sets them ablaze. Sometimes part of one may reach the earth; but, as a rule, they are consumed, and the dust alone, cosmic dust, drops upon the surface.

One of the earliest known meteors fell in 204 B. C. in Phrygia, where for a long time it was worshiped. It was carried to Rome and was supposed to be a messenger from the gods. Livy describes a shower of meteoric stones. The people were greatly alarmed, and the senators were demoralized and declared a nine days' festival to propitiate the gods. There is at Mecca a meteorite which fell in 600 A. D. and is still worshiped by the faithful.

In Chinese literature there is mention of meteors which fell in G44 B. C. The oldest known meteorite which was seen to fall is now, on exhibition at Ensisheim, Alsace, Germany, In 1492 it came crashing down through the air with a roar that prost ared peasantry with fright. I' buried itself deeply in the earth. It welghed 260 pounds and bangs stoday in the narish church.

The Chupaderos meteorite, which weighed 25 tons, fell in Chihuahua, Mexico. The largest meteorite known is the Peary stone, which weighs approximately 100 tons. The stone of Canon Diable weighs attleast ten tons and exploded high in air, the pieces being found all over the surrounding ed the satchel under the lounge where country. In Italy several instances are be had invited the interrogator to sit known of the loss of life from meteor- and that with him. "A little dangerites. A peasant was sitting in his ous and inconvenient-yes, deuced incabin and was killed by an iron mass convenient at times. We have to be that crashed through the roof. The act | careful," and his eyes were a hunted was regarded as a visitation of divine look.

ly one that has been struck by a (get the biggest salary of any man on meteorite. A meteorite of several the road, but I do. It is a big risk, pounds' weight fell in the heart, of and we have to lay up something. The that city in the year 1660, on the nu- companies will not insure us." thority of Paolo Maria Tezzayo, and He grasped a thin knee in both struck a Franciscan monk. More remarkable are the falls at sea, | tinued:

That a ship should be struck would seem an extraordinary chance, yet a venient. Traveling around with this Swedish sinp was so struck, the stone stuff exposes us to all sorts of dising under the big combers and rising killing two of the crew. On Dec. 1, courtesies from hotel managements. 1896, the ship Walkamming was sall- Sometimes we can't get rooms in a they are out shoulder high; then they ing from New York to Bremen when town for love or money, for people feel around with their feet till they her officers noticed a brill ant meteor won't have the stuff in the house, and that appeared to be bearing down on the guests come in a body and comsplinter, or it may be a log so large as the vessel from southeast to northwest. plain when they find out that one of us to require the aid of a rope to pull it It passed with a loud roar and hissing is registered. There are only three in sound and plunged into the sea ahead my line, you know. Under those cirof the ship. That it was ja meteor of cumstances, as we dare not leave our large size was evident, for a few min- samples, the police station is the only The women and children wade in a utes later the ship was/struck by a recourse. I'm registered as a 'sleeper'

Even more remarkable was the ex- civity. perience of the British ship Cawdor, which reached San Francisco Nov. 20, 1807. During a severe storm a large ter, wading and diving, for a couple of and brilliant meteor was observed of them have rules against carrying exhours and then come out, pretty ther- rushing down upon the ship, and with plosives. Sometimes I get caught, and oughly chilled, to sun himself on the a roar and filling the air with fumes of then off I go at the next station or beach in readiness for another bout sulphur it passed between the masts of foot it the rest of the way. I am not with the waves, meantime solacing the ship and fell into the sea not 50 particularly fond of railroad travel at

> sessed by man today is a supposed Even the jarring of the ears on a rough fragment of a comet in Mazapil, Mexi road makes me so uncomfortable that ico. The fragment is believed to be a I have to take up my satchel and pace part of the tail of Biela's comet. In the aisle to reduce the shock. 1846 something happened in space. A wreck occurred. Biela's comet may If I ever get into one, it means goodby have collided with another comet. In to Pink Firkin. Just imagine that any case, the comet divided, and many stuff going off underneath you?"-Denliving observers remember seeing the ver Republican, two parts gradually separating.

> Some fatality pursued one part of the comet, and at met its fate in infinite space, literally went to pieces and became a wreck upon the shoreless sea of space. Astronomers predicted that if the cornet itself did not appear in 1872 its wreckage would become visible as shooting stars, and from the heavens a cloud of shooting | turn out eggs and squabs. stars. During the display one piece dropped upon the cauth and was se- (cured at Mazapil. Mexico, and was de- | Feathered World there are two photos, clared to be a part of the great comet.

> The average meteorite immediately after its fall is intensely hot, but at stepbrother. When the outline of the least one, which was handled immedi- young cuckoo in the two pictures is ately after falling, still held the in-A meteorite exploded above Dhurmsala, Kangra and Punjab, India, in 1860, | nest, wings outstretched to prevent and a section was picked up immedithat its effect was like a burn. This which a cuckeo is reared at the exmuseum. Of it Dr. Farington, the curator, said, "This is perhaps the ouly instance known where the cold of space has become perceptible to human senses."-New York Sun.

Unwelcome Sultor. "Well, Miss Grace, time was, time is, but time shall be no more."

Miss Grace-Why, Mr. Stacy, I hope you don't lutend to remain till the clock runs down! It's an eight day timepiece!-Jewelers' Weekly.

Actually Insulting. Conductor (hastily)-How old is that child?

Young Mother (Indignantly)-Do I look old enough to have a child old enough to pay fare?-New York

THE DYNAMITE DRUMMER. A Dangerous Profession That Brings

In a Good Salary. The little man who scribbled illegibly on the St. James register bore an innocuous name. It was Pink Firkin, New York. He bore also an innocuous appearance, for he was not more than five feet four in height, with slim frame, narrow shoulders and eyes of

the mildest and most appealing blue. Notwithstanding all this, Pink Firkin is a dangerous man. This dangerousness rises not from the inward man but from his occupation. When he stepped up to the desk to put his name on the register it was with the most painstaking care that he placed upon the marble counter a little black bag which he carried in his left hand. Carefully, gently, he placed it by his side, and between almost every letter he wrote he looked out of the corner of his eye at the little black bag to see if it were really there.

"Traveling for a jewelry firm, I suppose?" questioningly remarked the professional lounger, who had grown

"No. Dynamite," answered Mr. Firkin, with a faint smile. It was the lofterer's turn to start. He recovered himself, and as the rest of the loungers to the rotunda, including the clerks, made rapid exits in both directions. put on a bold front.

"Oh, dynamite?" he returned, with a show of unconcern. "Only dynamite. Humph."

"Yes, my firm in New York makes the best dynamite in the world-goes off at the slightest shock. Great stuff. Want to see some?" inquired the drummer, his professional training getting the upper hand. He took the satchel in his hand with some roughness, and the professional lounger set himself in) position for a quick sprint. Nothing happened, and the lounger hastly dis-

avowed any interest in dynamite. "Yes, it is a ticklish profession," smiled the traveling gentleman as he shov-

"But we get paid for it--we get paid The city of Milan is perhaps the on- for it. You would not believe that I

hands as he crossed his legs and con-

"That is not the worst of it-inconin a good number of towns in this vi-

He paused a minute for this state ment to take effect. "Then there are the railroads to buck up against. Some any rate. With the cargo I carry a One of the greatest curiosities pos- wreck is something to be afraid of.

"The one thing that I fear is a wreck.

A Cuckoo Caught In the Act,

Everybody bas read in the natural history books how the ungrateful young cuckoo makes room in its foster mother's nest by evicting the rightful occupants, hatched and unhatched. As, however, few people have had the good fortune to see a young cuckoo. I this prediction was realized apparent- has been rather difficult to understand ly, as on Nov. 27, 1872, there burst exactly how the jugrate managed to

A patient naturalist, John Craig, has now solved the mystery, and in The taken under his auspices, of a young cuckee in the very act of murdering a once grasped, one can see how well tense cold of space. A few men can suited for its fell purpose is the posisay that they have experienced this. I tion it takes up. Head well down, legs wide apart gripping either side of the any slipping back sideways, the unately by some natives, who dropped it fortunate victim well poised on its with expressions of pain. The explo- broad back, the curious depression in sion had exposed the interior of the which serves to steady it-the attitude meteor, which had been chilled by the is perfect for accomplishing the final intense coid of space and was so cold act in the curious tragedy of nature by fragment is now to be seen in the Field. pense of the family of its foster parents.

The Waiter Knew 'Em. A down town restaurant was in the

turmoil of the busy dinner hour. Careworn business men rushed in and swallowed a lunch as though millions depended on their haste. Waiters balanced steaming platters on the tips of their little fingers with the case of Japanese jugglers, and everything seemed confusion. Yet there was a certain degree of discipline among the walters, and they seemed to know their customers and their usual choice of dishes. For Instance, when a pair of lantern jawed actors without and engagement entered, the waiter that listened to the order yelled out to the ook, "Two supes and a Hamomelet." -Detroit Free Press.

Where There is No Twilight, The days and nights at Guayaquil are of equal length. The sun knocks off promptly at 6 o'clock in the evening and gets up at 6 in the morning with equal regularity the whole year afound. There is no twilight, no gloamlag, no interval whatever between daylight and dark-only a bril-Rant Illumination, the sudden disappeniance of a red ball into a blue ocean, a spread of flame color over all the western sixy for a few minutes and a purple haze in the east.

Then the surface of the ocean, like the beavens, is lighted with millions of strange and shifting stars, for the vater is so impregnated with phosshorous that each tiny wave is tipped with light, and the foam that follows in the wake of the vessel is often like stream of fire. Sometimes you can ce porpoises swimming along the bow f the vessel total with phosphorescent gat and followed by a streak of mals like a comet's tall.

The Southern Cross, with the right on tunned out at proper angle, lies traight ahead in the midst of myriads I unknown worlds that look strange) that accustomed to the northern postellations. Under the left arm is large black soot in the heavens, rightened by only a single modest tar, which the sailors call "the devil's inner bag." Over the stern of the essel in the early evening you can boldy distinguish the familiar contellation of the Great Bear, but it bes to be I with the children .- Chica-Record.

The Worship of Serpents.

The small town of Werda, in the irrofem of Dahemey, is celebrated for s Temple of Scripents, a long building a which the priests later upward of a casand serpents of all sizes, which h y feed with the birds and frogs cought to them as offerings by the atites.

These serpents, many of them of nothrous size, may be seen hanging rota the beams across the celling, with heir heads pointing downward and in il sorts of strange contortions. The riests make the small serpents go brough various evolutions by lightly riching them with a rod, but they do of venture to fouch the largest ones, are of which are large enough to enold a bullock in their colls.

It often buppees that some of these expents make their way out of the emple into the town, and the priests ave the greatest defleulty in coaxing ett back. To L31 a serpent intenoutly is a cline punished with eath, and if a European were to kill ne the authority of the king himself out I scarcely saffice to save his life. my one filling a serpent unintention-By must before the priest of what is occurred in a go through the serve of purification which takes lace once a vene.

tanguages Useful to Travelers. to ter as languages are concerned, Ash is far superior to all the rest at with entry one through nearly ev-A part of the world. Next to that is ther Usench or Spanish. The popuir bei ef i at Trench has a much wher verte than Spanish is far from muste for the latter tongue is snow on in Nexico, in the Central and South action combles, the West Indies. as a lards of the Atlantic, on the west ast of Ar lead on the African coast on Mersica to the Kongo, by the ablets of Micao and the people of

w Philippers There are Spinish were hants in nearterety elty, as well as a Spanish con-Using constant agent.

Thench is spaken in every consulate vecting these of the United States of merica, while Gornan is becoming tore widel spoken every year and till carry a travelor alreast as far as Inriich, this being the to the excellent many of the cap re, which compels very consular efficial to speak English rel pract, ally obliges every commerfal traveler to speak the language of he country with a lightle desires to o lasivess. New York Telegram.

1 Baseball His Tombstone.

The greve of William A. Heibert, at ne time president of the old National Jasebull lengue, is tamifed with a professor and the shape of a baseball. Vien Mr. Hulbert died in 1882, some I'desord tesoriates set about to show en love and respect for him, and waresult was the monthment in Graces and comments of breasts.

ble leselail es nade of red granité. out 20 Inches in d'ameter, showing be comes as they a chear upon the aids used in the retaintion games. Acress the top appears in rasser leters, "W. A. Hulbert, President Naanual fact (no. P. B. B. C., 1876, 1882." n one side amount the thoses of four debs in the off Longre-Boston, Provience. Weignester and Tray sand on the ther there of the o her four-Chicago. leveland. Infalo at 1 Detroit.

At a there is a headstone of white in the apon which appears the name, orether with the date of birth. Oct. 2, 1842, and the date of death, April

The foremedere's Sentiments.

It was "ladies" day" at the yacht tible and a emisty old member who ares as record and a fuss was watchargione of the club servants paint the within a tourd". He calated a plenor the shelpt clubman, with a broad, and goin dividing his face from ear were Then be put these words beeach "This is a fretty big board, but there yere to tell you how glad we ice that I lest they has come again we wall beed a beard three times as big

"I" "" gammed the crusty member is the arms in to the last curlycue to be less lett a "What makes, you say

in the section t

"" ell sir, the commodore said we might as well tell a good one while re were about it," said the man, ouching his cap.-New York News.

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MINIATURE ALMANAC,

New Moon, May 7th, 5h. 45m., evening, W. First Quarter, May 14th, 8h. 40m., morning, E Full Moon, May 22d, 5h. 46m., morning, W. Last Quarter, May 30th, 7h. 0m., morning W.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

Washington, May 5.—Forecast for New England: Generally fair Tuesday and Wednesday; fresh north winds.

MUSIC HALL BOX OFFICE HOURS.

Open 7:30 to 9:00 a. m., 12:30 to 2, 5 to 6, and 7 to 8 p m., three days in advance of each attraction. Tickets may be ordered by calling Telephone No. 37-2.

TUESDAY, MAY 6, 1902.

Consider well your actions, What's done you can't recall, No use to pull the trigger, Then to try to stop the ball. -Lippincott's Magazine.

TONIGHT.

Regular meeting of Warner club. Thomas Jefferson in Rip Van Winkle, Music hall.

Parish supper and entertainment, Universalist vestry.

Special convocation of Washington Chapter, Masonic hall.

CITY BRIEFS.

The tardy leaves are showing their colors.

Go to Music hall tonight and see Rip Van Winkle. Strawberries are selling today for

twenty-three cents a box.

pages 1, 3, 4 and 6. Have your shoes repaired by John

Mott, 34 Congress street. Seats for Barbara Frietchic go on

sale this Tuesday morning. These are troublesome times for

dealers in stocks on margin. The Maplewoods want games with

teams in the surrounding towns. Farmers in this vicinity expect unusually large crops of hay and fruit

Last whist party and dance of the day evening, May 9th.

prunes .--- Atchison Globe.

Thomas Jefferson in Rip Van Winkle is the splendid attraction at Music Miss Cook turnishing piano music for hall this Tuesday evening.

Compare the Herald with other evening papers.

Many of the builal lots in the cemetery are receiving their usual spring attention from workmen.

The sale of seats for Barbara Frietchie begins this Tuesday morning at the Music hall box office.

Bad blood and indigestion are dead ly enemies to good health. Burdock Blood Bitters destroys them.

Rip Van Winkle at Music hall this Tuesday evening.

Music lessons on Violin, Cornet. Mandolin and Banjo. R. L. Reinewald, Bandmaster U. S. Naval Band, 6 Court

Judge Putnam will preside at the May term of the United States circuit court, which opens in this city on Thursday.

Miss Miriam Schuiman of Middle road entertained the Junior Enworth league of the Methodist church on wonday afternoon.

A little life may be sacrificed to a sudden attack of croup, if you don't have Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil on hand for the emergency.

Among the pension changes resulting from the issue of April 15, under the classification of "restoration, refssue, etc.," is "Isaac F. Jenness, Ports-

mouth, \$10." "You are a flood of sweetness." whispered the young man with the

large imagination. "And you," responded the sweet

girl, "are a spring freshet." Portsmouth wants to build a battleship. Now that the country has a secretary of the navy who is a salt from that shore Portsmouth ought to have a pull that will bring it the job

it hankers for.—Nashua Press. Plowed Up.-Rube- W'en you goin' ter git at yer spring plowin'? Josh--I don't calc'iate to do none. Rube-You don't? Why? Josh-Won't have ter. I've 'lowed a lot o' amateur golfers ter use my fields fer practice sence Febyary."

PERSONALS.

Miss Elizabeth Kane passed Monday in Boston.

returned from a visit to New York. W. T. Dodge, city editor of the Manchester News was a visitor in town or I was seized with dizziness that al-

ing for Staten Island to attend the and I did not expect to ever get rid in Worcester that atternoon against funeral, of her father,

The members of the Latest Whist club were entertained by Miss Georgia Webster on Monday evening.

Judge of Probate Thomas J. Leavitt and Registrar of Probate George W. Richards were in the city today. Mass., formerly secretary of the Ports. States mouth Y. M. C. A., is the guest of his

Since Friday Last.

Noon And Place Closed.

Thought That Liabilities Would Was Found Lying Helpless Under Goes To Exeter This Morning To Try Reach \$2000 With \$1000 Assets.

Howard M. Haskell, who has done business as a grocer at No. 951/2 Congress street for the past two years, is among the missing and his place has been closed up and is in the hands of the sheriff.

Haskell left the store on Friday last telling his chief clerk that he was going to his home in Merrimac. Since then he has not been seen, so far as known, by any one in the city.

This forenoon Fisher, a Boston wholesaler, came here and placed an attachment on the stock and Sheriff Collis took charge. The father of the missing man ar-

rived in town today and stated that his son had not been at his home in Merrimae, neither did he know where he was. Much sympathy is expressed about

fown for the unfortunate youngman let his friends know the strait he was lance, which was in charge of Officers in they would have helped tide him

over the difficulty. Several local merchants have Haskell's name on their books for quite large amounts. Young Haskell married a well

known Portsmouth young lady some time ago and has one child. It is thought that his habilities will toot up about \$2000 with \$1000 as-

WHIST AND DANCING.

Local news may be found on | Very Pleasant Assembly Held in Conservatory Hall On Monday Even-

> The assembly held at Conservatory hall on Monday evening under the auspices of Miss Aura B. Cook was a very pleasant affair and well aftend-

From eight o'clock until ten whist was played, and the prizes were awarded as follows: Ladies' first, a bandsome rug, Mrs. Mabel Moulton; second, a picture entitled "On the Watch," Mrs. Thomas W. Bowen; third, a fancy candlestick, Mrs. M. season at town hall, Newington, Fir Kiley; gentleman's first, a burntwood pipe holder with Indian's head, Willis If you board, look on the bright side, H. Alvin; second, a picture, Frank Nothing is better for the system than Smith; third, a tobacco jar, Thomas W. Bowen.

Dancing followed until midnight,

ST. ANDREW'S LODGE.

From Several Prominent State Offi-

A special communication of St. Anfrew's lodge, No. 56, A. F. and A. M., was held in Masonie hall on Monday. evening for the purpose of receiving Deputy Grand Master Josiah P. Jenness of Dover and District Deputy Grand Lecturer Bela Kingman of Newmarket.

Several candidates received the Entered Apprentice degree and at the conclusion of the ritual work, a sumptuous collation was served in the banquet hall. The attendance was

ON THE DIAMOND.

Maplewools vs. Belleville Athletic club of Newburyport at the Plains next Saturday atternoon.

Yale was beaten by Pennsylvania, on Saturday, in the first game played between these great universities in several years, by the close score of four to two.

Quite a crowd of Portsmouth men are to go to Dover today, Tuesday, to see the opening game in the New England league series at Central park, between Dover and Concord.

A FRIEND'S ADVICE.

Will Often Help You Greatly. Read What a Portsmouth Citizen Says.

You many hestitate to listen to the advice to strangers, but the testimony of friends or residents of Portsmouth is worth your most careful attention. It is an easy matter to investigate such proof as this. Then the evidence must be conclusive. Read the following:

Mr. John Logan, of No. 7 Rock street, says:~ "I never had any trouble with my kidneys until just before I obtained a box of Doan's Kidney Pills at Philbrick's pharmacy on Congress street. I was taken all at once with a severe pain in the loins and it kept up a constant aching, did. Mr. and Mrs. John S Rand have Olten it was so sore that it took my breath away to straighten up after bending forward, and my head recled most obscured my vision. I brought Mrs. Charles Quinn left this morn, the trouble on me by lifting heavily them. Hefore I had taken the whole box I began to feel better. Soon the runs to the credit of each side. pals left for good and I have not had the slightest indication of a return."

For sale by all dealers; proce 50 Fore sale by all dealers; price 50; N Y, sole agents for the United i

take no substitute.

GROCER BASKELL GONE. INJURIES PROVE FATAL

In Freight Yard. ting His Wheel Back.

> An Attachment Plac d On Stock This Taken To Hospital With Breken Hip Learns That A Boy Off-red Bicycle And Lacerated Loins. For Sale In Strain.m.

> > Freight Car In Railroad Yard.

John Burke, a private in the marine ceived in the railroad yard on Mon-week. day evening. The man was terribly injured, one hip, besides being fractured, was torn away from the spine,

and his loins badly lacerated. Burke was found lying under a reight car just above the Boston and Maine rahroad station shortly after by Car Inspector Fred Thomas, whose attention was attracted to the spot by groans.

Burke was conscious, but beyond telling his name could not explain how he came there, in such a condi-

He was taken to the station, where Dr. Berry gave him a superficial exwho was quiet and unassuming in his amination, and then he was removed ways and it is thought that had he to the hospital in the police ambu- had been stolen in this city and got among the dry dock workmen. Hurley and Hilton.

of each a serious nature that he might die betore daylight.

The car under which Burke lay was ..., n.a lo up with a string of others to go on the regular freight No. 250, round for Boston. The ill-fated maone was very much intoxicated and it is surmised that he lay down there to theep and was caught under the wheels as the car was being shunted. Burke was locked up only a few nights ago for drunkenness. About ten o'clock on Monday evening Officer Kelly met him on State street and

the navy yard. The body of Burke who died at the was taken to Ham's undertaking establishment where Coroner Prime summoned witnesses to appear this would be made.

heavily, advised him to go at once to

MUCH IMPROVED IN HEALTH.

Rockingham and Discusses Business Prospects.

Hon, Frank Jones was the center for the future of Portsmouth. He was much interested in the work of the It Receives An Official Visitation White Mountain Paper company and the work now going on at Freeman's ling else has been handled about the Point. Said her "The citizens did not realize the first time Mr. Morgan and others called on me and talked mense plant here, what it would mean an official visitation from District discussed the prospects of building the forcing some action.

plant here." For an hour Mr. Jones talked over the various interests and then returned to his fine residence at Maplewood farm. He was in excellent spirits and all were delighted to see him about again.

OBSEQUIES.

The funeral of Charles B. McDonough was held at the Church of the at 9.30 and was largely attended by the many friends of the deceased young man. Rev. P. J. Finnegan place in Calvary cemetery under the direction of Undertaker O. W. Ham.

At the home on Bridge street this funeral of John W. Dudley, Rev. L. H. term of service, he resumed the duties Thaver officiating, interment took Grove, Undertaker O. W. Ham had charge of the funeral arrangements.

This afternoon at 2.30 o'clock the uneral of Ira S. Paul was held at his late home. Rev. Elbridge Gerry and Mrs. Smith officiated. Interment occurred in Bolt Hill cemetery. Undertaker O. W. Ham of this city directed the funeral.

KENNEDY RELEASED.

Martin Kennedy, the chum of missing James Mellet, who was detained at police headquarters on Monday afternoon because he had circulated the story that Mellet was in the hospital afternoon. He was closely questioned by Marshal Entwistle after he had had a good sleep and satisfactorily explained why he had talked as he

PITCHES A GREAT GAME.

Walter Woods who left here Monday morning pitched a great game of it. When I had read about Doan's the Worcesters. The game lasted Kidney Pills I thought I would try thirteen innings and then darkness put an end to the contest with four

GOT THEIR MONEY.

County Treasurer W. H. Follansby was in the city today paying the this city and was a member of Storer Remember the name-Doan's-and jurous of the superior court recently Post, No. 1, G. A. R. He is survived | held in Exeter.

ON TRACK OF THIEF.

And Capture His Man.

On Monday Doctor F. L. Benedict corps stationed at this yard died at got trace of a racycle that was stolen the Cottage hospital shortly after six from his stable in the rear of number o'clock this morning from injuries re- two Middle street one evening last

Monday forenoon a lad about seventeen or eighteen years of age, of light complexion, about five feet four inches tall, dressed in dark elethes and wear ing a blue cap, rode up to a farm residence in Stratham and tried to sell a wheel answering to the description twelve o'clock this Tuesday morning, of the one stolen from the Benedict stable.

The man with whom he tried to trade noticed the peculiar construction of the wheel and grew suspicious when the boy offered to dispose of it at a very low figure. He decided not to buy and the lad mounted the wheel and started in the direction of Exe-

Later the man learned that a wheel word to Doctor Benedict. This morning the doctor left for Exeter where Dr Berry said that his injuries were he is in hopes to again get track of the thief, as he had no doubt but what the wheel offered for sale in Stratham was the one stolen from him.

THE DRY DOCK STRIKE.

Many of the Strikers Have Already Left Town.

The strike situation at the new dry dock at the navy yard remains about the same as on Monday. None of the men, with the exception of a few ennoticing that he had been drinking gineers running pumps, are at work, the boat and return to the barracks at and while the union declares it could get these men out it will not do so, with their work that there is no danas it would probably damage the ger of any delay from that source. hospital at six o'clock this morning dock; the water not being pumped out as it leaks in from springs and from coffer dams. The officers of the yard the Locke Regulation Valve company have nothing to say about the strike, at Salem, Mass., has been required atternoon at 230 o'clock when an in- but strict orders are in force about al- for duty as core maker in the steam vestigation into the man's death lowing men on the yard, and a satis-lengineering foundry. factory explanation is required before they are passed over the boat or main gate. None of the strikers have any interest at the yard, but the new orders tend to keep idlers away from Hon, Frank Jones Drops Down to the dock. The stonecutters who have been forced out by the strike are fast gether in his mind. leaving town and by the time they

Many of the Italians who went out into the river from Goat island, on of an interested group of people at the on the strike went to the site of the Rockingham on Monday alternoon White Mountain Paper company's

place. How long the strike can last without government interference remains over the matter of building the im- to be seen; but, on account of the dock being so far behind confract to Portsmouth. It was three years time, it is believed that the governago that I flist met these men and ment will not let it last long before

OBITUARY.

William H. Brewster.

Monday the death from dropsy, of Wilham H Brewster. At the time of his death Mr. Brewster was in his sixtysecond year, having been born in

Troy, N. Y., in 1840. Upon October 30, 1862, he enlisted as a soldier in the Union army, serv-Immaculate Conception this morning ing most creditably his term of service in Co. C of the Eighth Massachusetts intantry, until the time or his discharge, upon August 7, 1863. Durelebrated high mass. Interment took ing the above period, Mr. Brewster saw active service in the actions of Newbern, Whitehall and Kingston, N.

C., also several minor engagements. He also saw several years service afternoon at two o'clock occurred the in the navy. At the expiration of his of his calling, which was that of a shipplace in the family lot at Harmony wright, and as such did acceptable service at the Portsmouth navy yard. He was mustered April 5, 1901, as a comrade of General Gilman Marston command, of the Union Veterans Union, but owing to failing health, was confined to his home for a long period by serious and distressing illness. Mr. Brewster is survived by a wite and five childen. Funeral services will be held at his late home, 261/2 Water street, Wednesday, at 2:30 p. m.

James H. Young.

James H. Young, the well known grocer, died at his home on the corner of Cass and Islington streets this morning after an illness of about a week from stomach trouble. Dehere, was allowed to go on Monday | ceased was about torty six years of age, and leaves a wife and little daughter to mourn his loss.

John Burke.

This morning John Burke, the marine who was badly injured in the freight yard Monday evening, died at the Cottage hospital about seven o'clock. Burke was about thirty-five years of age and has many friends in this city. Burke came to this city from the Charleston yard last Decem-

Benjamin J. Lake.

This morning at the Soldier's Home in Tilton occurred the death of Benjamin J. Lake after a long and painful illness, aged Sixtynine years. The deceased for many years resided in

The Herald's Daily Puzzle.



FIND THE TURKISH GIRL'S SWEETHEART.

AT THE NAVY YARD.

Transportation on the river boats Supt. Shannon Refuses to Obey Oris lighter on account of the strike It is nothing but a case of hustle

partments who are working aboard the Detroit. Robert Ducker, coppersmith in the department of steam engineering, returned to work on Monday after a sick

for the mechanics from all the de-

Harvey Lewis, for some time fireman at the electric light plant, has taken a position as fireman on the steamer Alice Howard,

spell of two weeks.

Buoy No. 5, the last of the lot to be taken up in the river, has been repaired, painted and numbered and is now ready to be put back in place. The granite cutters are said to be so much ahead of the block setters

John Leahy of this city, for the last two years employed at the works of

Somebody in congress-good man, too, whoever he is-who has been working in favor of the appropriation for the removal of Henderson's point, the matter stands. seems to have got that point and 'Pulland-be-damned point mixed up topoint is a part of Seavey's island, on are called in again there will have to the Maine side of the river; the evilnamed point is a ledge that projects

the New Hampshire side. and it seemed like old times to see works and secured employment there, train to and from the yard, morning strike is settled and probably after and evening, does not seem to have of the eighty-third anniversary of that. A vessel loaded with stone for made any very deep cut in the patron- American Odd Fellowship on Wednesthe dock has been unloaded, but noth- age of the steamboats, although of day evening by Osgood lodge and course it must have had some effect in Union Rebekah and Fannie A. Gardithat direction; and neither train nor ner Rebekah lodges were completed steamboats, nor both together, have on Monday evening at a meeting of wholly superceded transportation in the general committee appointed from small boats, which apparently be- the three organizations. It will be held comes more popular as summer in Odd Fellows hall and bids tair to weather approaches, especially with be a notable event. yard workmen living at the South

the yard. They are finding it a slow ey-Simpson. They will render a choice and hard job, owing to the hard ledge encountered near the surface almost At his home in this city occurred everywhere along the line, but the past seven. Members are asked to conduct when finished will be a fine piece of work, five teet in height, and carrying the sewer, water, steam and compressed air pipes, and the electitheir wives, all Rebekahs and their tric wires for distributing power and I husbands and all members of the or-

light. Work on the stone dry dock is now so tar along that some kind of an idea can be formed as to how it will look when completed, although there is a vast amount to be done before it will be finished. When completed it will contain 9,000 blocks of granite cut to specified dimensions, of which silver watch. Johnnie Haher was said

set in the side wall of the dock, over about it was allowed to go. Sullivan the culvert leading to the pumping was bound over to the October term station to replace one broken last fall of the superior court and allowed to while being lowered into the dock, go on his own recognizance. is expected to arrive this week from the quarry at Vinalhaven, Me. It is cut all ready for setting, and as soon as it is in position, the walls at the entrance to the dock will at once be built to the required height.

NEW HAMPSHIRE MEDICAL SOCI-ETY.

Dr. A. C. Heffenger will read a paper entitled "Pancreatic Cysts and their treatment, with reports of two cases." at the annual meeting of the New Hampshire Medical Society at Concord on the 15th inst. Dr. T. W. Luce of this city will open the discussion of the paper. Dr. Heffenger will also open the discussion on papers of Rev. Dr. D. C. Roberts and Dr. Ernest W. Cushing at the evening session of the council. Dr. J. J. Berry of this city will as usual submit the report on Necrology.

ANNUAL MEETING.

the following officers at its annual meeting on Monday morning, held in the annex of the Middle street Baprist church: President, Rev. George W. Gile: Vice President, Rev. Edward Robie

of Greenland.

Secretary and Treasurer, William F. Programme committee, chairman, CITY FARM ROW.

der of Mayor Pender to Vacate,

There is trouble on between Mayor Pender, the county commissioners and Superintendent Shannon of the city farm, and all over the vote of the board of aldermen to close up the

city tarm by May 10. It seems that the city solicitor pre sumably acting under orders, went to County Commissioner Spinney and notified him to remove the county charges at the city tarm at once. This the commissioner refused to do say ing that as yet he had no proof that they were county charges. If the commissioners could be satisfied as to their rightfully belonging on the county permits would be issued and the city would be at liberty to take the inmates to Brentwood. As none of them have yet been moved it is Clothing-make it as well as it can be presumed that the commissioners have not yet been convinced that it is

their duty to look after them.

Mayor Pender notified Supt. Shannon to get his traps together and money away. There is no use paying vacate the farm by May 10. This Mr. lany more for perfection than mou Shannon refused to do until his such have to. We will be g ad to see you at cessor be appointed or he be ordered so to do by a joint vote of the city any time. councils who appointed him, and there

A NOTABLE EVENT.

Preparations Completed For Celebration Of The Eighty-Third Anniversary Of American Odd Fellowship.

Arrangements for the celebration

The entertainment will be furnished by the New Hampshire Rivals, a con-The yards and dock crew are put- cert organization of New Hampshire ting in an underground conduit across, artistes, among them Mrs. Sadie Dickprogram after the banquet, which is to be served from six o'clock until half

contribute cake. The invitations to the celebration apply to all local Odd Fellows and der sojourning in this city at the time.

POLICE COURT.

This morning at 10 o'clock, Tonmy, one of the well known "Sullivan kids" was arraigned before Judge E. H. Adams charged with stealing a about 2,500 blocks have been laid. to have been mixed up in the affair The big arch stone intended to be but as he apparently knew nothing

RECEIVED SAD NEWS. .

Mrs. Quinn, wife of Police Officer Charles Quinn, received the sad news on Monday evening of the sudden death from heart disease at his home on Staten Island of her father, Michael McCarthy. The deceased was sixtyeight years of age and a prominent resident of that borough. Mrs. Quinn lost her mother about six months ago.

DRILL AND SOCIAL.

The Boys' brigade of the Y. M. C. A. had a social on Monday evening at the association rooms on Congress street and with it a drill. Assistant Paymaster G. M. Lukesh, U.S. N., gave a seasonable talk, refreshments were served and there was vocal and instrumental music.

HARBOR FRONT NEWS.

The Ministers' association elected Arrived, May 6 .- Tug Piscataqua, Boston, with barges Dover and York for Eliot and barge P. N. Co. No. 3 for York, all light; (ug Frostburg, Baltimore, Portland with harge Number Eighteen, Baltimore, Cape Porpoise, Commission Merchants

Thomas Jefferson, a worthy, son of a worthy sire, interprets the quaint Rev. L. H. Thayer: Rev. Thomas and interesting character of Rip Van Whiteside and Rev. E. C. Hall of Kit- winkle at Music hall this Tuesday evening.



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